SUPPLEMENT TO

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BOMBAY :—THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1881.

ARRIVAL OF THE OVERLAND MAILS OF THE 18TH NOVEMBER.

THE P. and O. S. N. Co.'s s. s. Mongolia, Commander W. E. Thompson, arrived in harbour yesterday morning at 11 o'clock with the English mails of the 18th inst. The following is the list of passengers :—

FROM GRAVESEND.

Lady Gough, infant, & child.	Mr. Clegg.
Miss Gough.	Mr. Greenings.
Mr. V. R. Kingcome.	Mr. Smith.
Mr. H. Loveday.	Mr. Ditchburn.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen and infant.	Mr. Coutts.
	Mr. Holmes.
Mr. and Mrs. Evans.	Mr. B. Sharp.
Mr. Wright.	

FROM VENICE.

Surg. and Mrs. Sutherland.	Col. A. C. Hay.
Mrs. Silcock.	Mrs. Corbett.
Mr. Croswaithe.	Col. W. Goodfellow.
Mr. and Mrs. Gray.	Mr. J. Anderson.
Col. Mulle.	Lieut.-Col. Brook.
Mr. McCoy.	Miss L. E. Blackmar.
Mr. H. T. Smith.	Miss Thornburn.
Mrs. Moss.	Miss Hoy.
Mr. C. Warn.	Miss Warner.
Col. and Mrs. Strong.	Miss Kell.
Mr. S. Apcar.	Miss Avery.
Rev. W. Cunningham.	Miss Knowles.
Mr. R. East.	Mrs. Martin.
Mr. J. Allen.	Mr. Volger.
Mr. Lowe.	Rev. Mitchell.
Col. Howard.	Mrs. Mitchell, three Misses Mitchell, and Master Mitchell.
Lieut.-Col. Barton.	
Mr. J. Horsfall.	
Major and Mrs. Dawes.	Dr. Reid.

FROM SUEZ.—Mr. Marshall.

FROM ADEN.

Major and the Hon. Mrs. Elliott.	Privates Bruce, Campbell, and McCarthy,

HEADS OF INTELLIGENCE.

(FROM 12TH TO 18TH NOV. INCLUSIVE.)

THE Queen and Princess Beatrice attended divine service on Sunday at Balmoral. Her Majesty is expected to leave Scotland on the 23rd inst.

The Marquis of Lorne, Governor-General of Canada, arrived at Birkenhead on Monday. He was met by the Princess Louise, whom he accompanied to Eaton-hall, the seat of the Duke of Westminster. An address from the Chester Corporation was presented on Tuesday to the Marquis of Lorne, who, in his reply, dwelt upon the prosperity of Canada and the attachment of its people to the Crown of Great Britain.

The annual Colston celebration was held at Bristol on Saturday. At the Conservative Society's dinner the Marquis of Salisbury and Mr. Gibson, M. P., were the principal speakers, and at the Liberal banquet Earl Spencer and the Attorney-General spoke in vindication of the policy of the Government.

Mr. John Bright, M.P., attained his 70th year on Wednesday. In reply to addresses of congratulation, Mr. Bright reviewed at length the political movements with which he had been associated, and expressed a hope that further reforms, including the separation of Church and State, would not long be deferred.

Mr. Goschen, M.P., addressed the Watford Liberal Association on Tuesday, claiming a fair trial for the Irish Land Act, protesting against any tampering with Free Trade, and favouring an amendment of the English Land Laws, though deprecating any attempt to legislate for this country on the basis of the Irish Act.

Political speeches were also delivered on Tuesday by Sir R. Cross, M.P., at Warrington, and by Mr. Gibson, M.P., at Huddersfield. Mr. Walter, M.P., and Sir B. Loyd-Lindsay, M.P., spoke chiefly on agricultural matters, at Abingdon.

The polling at Tiverton on Monday resulted in the return of Lord Ebrington.

A deputation from the Manchester Chamber of Commerce had an interview on Friday with the Marquis of Hartington on the subject of the Indian import duties upon cotton goods.

Dr. Alexander Bain was elected on Saturday Lord Rector of Aberdeen University by a considerable majority over Sir J. Paget.

Mr. W. R. Greg, formerly Controller of the Stationery Office, and a well-known writer on political and social subjects, died on Tuesday.

Sir C. Herries has retired from the chairmanship of the Board of Inland Revenue, and is succeeded by Mr. Algernon West, and Mr. Adam Young has been appointed Deputy-Chairman.

Mr. W. J. Sendall has been appointed Lieutenant-Governor of Natal.

A notice appeared in Friday's *Gazette* of the appointment of Mr. George Hudson to be British Resident in the Transvaal State.

At a meeting of the Statistical Society on Tuesday Mr. James Caird, the President, delivered an address on the British land question, advocating freedom in land and security to tenants for the value of improvements effected by them.

The Court of Appeal on Monday confirmed the decision of the Queen's Bench dismissing Mr. Bradlaugh's demurrer to the claim for penalties against him for voting in the House of Commons without having previously taken the oath.

An inquiry recently held into the management of St. Paul's Industrial School having shown that the boys had been subjected to harsh and improper treatment, the Home Secretary has ordered the school to be closed, and a judicial investigation into the complaints will probably be held.

A memorial statue of Thomas Clarkson, the coadjutor of Wilberforce in the anti-slavery agitation, was inaugurated by the Speaker of the House of Commons on Friday, at Wisbeach.

The jockey, W. Macdonald, who was injured by the fall of his horse while running for the Liverpool Cup last week, has since died.

A steam boiler burst on Friday at Smethwick, and four men were dangerously scalded, two of whom are not expected to recover.

The strike among the earthenware workers in the potteries has extended, and at present about 30,000 men, women, and boys are idle.

Two butchers at Holbeach, named Dunkley and Bayley, were each sentenced to a month's imprisonment for sending diseased meat for sale in the Metropolitan Market.

The capital sentence passed on William Osman for wife murder at Bredbury has been respited.

The Right Hon. Hugh Law was sworn in as Lord Chancellor of Ireland on Friday.

Upwards of 40,000 applications have been sent in to the Irish Land Court for the fixing of fair rents. The decisions of the Sub-Commissioners recently given have caused great apprehensions among landowners, many of whom are voluntarily conceding large reductions of rent to their tenants.

Several outrages have occurred in Ireland during the last few days. At Killavullen, Cork, a farmer and his son were attacked by armed men, who cruelly beat them and required the withdrawal of an eviction notice. A revolver was fired into the house of the Rev. Mr. Smyth, of Rathbarry, and an attempt was made to assassinate General Meares at Ballymore, Westmeath.

A quantity of arms and seditious publications were found on Sunday, near Bradford by the police, in the house of an Irishman named Tobin, who has been examined before the magistrates and remanded.

Consols have been steady at 100⅛ 100⅜ for money and 100⅜ 100½ for the December account. Home Railway stocks have gained somewhat in price during the week and closed firm, while Foreign bonds, after having been inactive and for the most part dull, rallied a little at the last. Most of the leading American Railway stocks have been pretty well maintained.

OBITUARY.—T. C. Loughman, late Judge at Poona; Hon. T. H. Berkeley, Vice-President Leeward Islands; Dr. Robertson of Hopewell; Professor J. Black, Aberdeen Univ.; Mr. W. R. Greg, late Controller H. M.'s Stationery Office; E. Edmonds, J. P. and D. L. for Wilts; Lady Alice Fortescue.

M. GAMBETTA, on Monday, presented to President Grévy the list of members of his new Cabinet, himself taking the department of Foreign Affairs, which was approved of. On Tuesday, a Ministerial declaration was read in the Chambers, in which the policy of the new Cabinet was stated to be the maintenance of Democratic institutions with any necessary revision of the Constitution, reform of the judicature, and the promotion of all other reforms which would conduce to the peace and prosperity of France. In the Chamber M. Barodet moved a resolution for the immediate revision of the Constitutional laws, but M. Gambetta objected to a vote of urgency, and on a division he was supported by 368 to 120.

The German Press comments scornfully on M. Gambetta's Cabinet, which they assert only represents himself, the "Dauphin of the Republic."

The Session of the German Parliament was opened yesterday at Berlin with an Imperial Message, in which the Bill for assuring workmen from the casualties of old age and infirmity was specially dwelt upon.

Nothing of importance has been heard from the French expeditions in Southern Tunis. Some tribes have submitted, but the great mass of the Arab population remains in arms.

An Arab was shot before the Bey's Palace on a charge of placing obstructions on the railway, and this incident has caused great exasperation among the native population.

The sanitary condition of the French troops in Tunis is very unsatisfactory, and the hospitals at Manouba and Susa are quite full of patients.

The deliberations of the Austrian and Hungarian Delegations have been conducted with great harmony, and most of the political questions with which the Government has had to deal lately have been explained and generally approved.

The town and district of Volo has been occupied by the Greek troops.

A new Ministry has been formed at Lisbon under the Premiership of Senhor de Mello.

Mr. Sackville West, the new British Minister at Washington, was formally presented on Monday to President Arthur, and expressions of good will and friendship between the two countries were interchanged.

The trial of Guiteau at Washington for the murder of President Garfield has commenced. The prisoner displays great excitement and disclaims legal assistance.

Telegrams from Durban report great excitement among the natives in the Transvaal, who threaten to attack the Boers. The Kafir tribes are also arming.

THE SERVICES AT HOME.

ARRIVALS REPORTED.

Col. C. R. Shaw, B.S.C.	Mr. J. Hannan, M.U.C.S.
Lieut. C. B. Porter, B.S.C.	Col. C. M. Hailes, M. Ret.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Mr. D. G. Macleod, B.U.C.S., 6 mo.	Capt. R. A. C. King, R.B. Art., 6 mo.
Mr. E. Forrest, B.U.C.S., 2 mo.	Mr. C. W. Burroughs, M.U.C.S., 3 mo.
Major H. Wylie, C.S.I., B. Inf., 14 days.	Mr. R. M. Lambert, Bo. U.C.S., 1 mo.

PERMITTED TO RETURN TO DUTY.

Mr. E. B. Thornhill, B.C.S.	Capt. F. A. S. D'Acosta de St. Laurent, B.S.C.
Mr. W. P. Thomas, B.U.C.S.	
Col. J. Browne, C.S.I., R.B. Eng.	Surg.-Maj. R. T. Lyons, M.D., B.
Lieut.-Col. S. E. Becher, B. Inf.	Surg.-Maj. J. B. White, B.
	Surg.-Maj H. D. S. Compigne, M.D., B.
Lieut.-Col. E. I. McNair, B. Inf.	Lieut.-Col. W. Thompson, M. Cav.
Lieut.-Col. G. Stewart, B.S.C.	Major E. A. Bruce, M.S.C.
Major T. St. Q. Clutterbuck, B. Inf.	Lieut. T. W. J. M. Georges, M.S.C.
Major E. C. Corbyn, B.S.C.	Major F. H. Jackson, Bo. Inf.
Major L. Wavell, B.S.C.	

CASUALTY.

T. C. Loughnan, Esq., late Bombay Civil Service, Nov. 9.

THE NAVY.

(London Gazette.)

ADMIRALTY, 15th November.

In accordance with the provisions of H. M.'s Order in Council of the 22nd Feb., 1870, Chief Engr. T. Parker has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 21st Oct.

ADMIRALTY, 17th November.

In accordance with the provisions of H. M.'s Order in Council of the 21st July, 1876, Comdr. H. S. Kerr, having attained fifteen years' seniority as Comdr. on the 16th instant, has been authorized to assume the rank and title of Retired Capt. from the same date.

THE ARMY.

(London Gazette.)

WAR OFFICE, PALL MALL, 18th Nov.

Rl. Horse Guards, Troop Corpl.-Maj. Gordon to be Qr.-mr., vice Sharples, retired.

3rd Dragoon Guards, Qr.-mr. Dean retires on retired pay.

7th Dragoon Guards, Capt. Vansittart has been seconded for service as an Adjt. of Auxy. Forces.

1st Dragoons, Lieut. Lindley, from the South Staffordshire Regt., to be Lieut. in succession to Second Lieut. Shaw, promoted.

3rd Husrs., Capt. Helyar has been seconded for service as an Adjt. of Auxy. Forces.

14th Husrs., Lieut. Staunton resigns his Commission.

20th Husrs., Capt. Browne has been seconded for service as an Adjt. of Auxy. Forces.

Grdr. Guards, Lieut. the Hon. Brownlow resigns his Commission.

Lieut. Ellice to be Instr. of Musky., vice Lieut. and Capt. V. Hatton, who resigns that appointment.

Coldstream Guards, Lieut. Levett resigns his Commission.

Scots Guards, Lieut. the Hon. Cochrane resigns his Commission.

Capt. and Lieut.-Col. Broadwood to be Regtl. Adjt., vice Capt. and Lieut.-Col. the Hon. Cotton, retired on half-pay.

REGIMENTAL DISTRICT.

Lieut.-Col. and Bt.-Col. Baillie having completed five years' service as a substantive Lieut.-Col. has been placed on half-pay.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Rl. Scots (Lothian Regt.), Lieut. Morgan-Payler to be Capt., vice Shaw, seconded for service as an Adjt. of Auxy. Forces.

The Queen's (Rl. West Surrey Regt.), Lieut. Richards to be Capt., vice J. S. Collins, seconded.

The King's Own (Rl. Lancaster Regt.), Lieut. Stokes retires on retired pay.

Lieut. Wilson resigns his Commission.

The Northumberland Fuslrs., Supnmry. Capt. Auld to be Capt., vice Way, seconded.

Lieut. Chancellor to be Capt., vice Bradshaw, retired.

The Rl. Warwickshire Regt., Lieut. Jephson has been appointed a Probr. for the I. S. C.

The King's (Liverpool Regt.), Lieut. Brereton to be Capt., vice Dawson, retired.

Lieut. Mellor to be Instr. of Musky., vice Lieut. Wade, promoted.

The Norfolk Regt., Lieut. Brewster to be Capt., vice Butler, retired.

The Devonshire Regt., Capt. Lang has been seconded for service as an Adjt. of Auxy. Forces.

The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regt.), Capt. Hosack has been placed on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Maj.

Lieut. Thruston to be Capt., vice Gordon seconded.

Lieut. Barchard to be Instr. of Musky., vice Lieut. Rae, promoted.

The Leicestershire Regt., Lieut. Creed to be Capt., vice Parkinson, seconded.

Qr.-mr.-Sergt. Garrard to be Qr.-mr., vice Fallon, transferred to the 3rd Batn.

The Lancashire Fuslrs., Maj. Browne retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Lieut.-Col.

The Rl. Scots Fuslrs., Lieut. Alexander to be Capt., vice Yule, seconded.

The Cheshire Regt., Capt. Bainbridge has been placed on retired pay.

Sergt.-Maj. Yates, 22nd Regtl. Dist. to be Qr.-mr., vice Hicks, retired.

The Rl. Welsh Fuslrs., Lieut. Carey to be Capt., vice Mayhew, seconded. Lieut. Helbert, from Prince Albert's L. I. (Somersetshire Regt.), to be Lieut., vice Gambier-Parry, resigned.

The Cameronians (Scotch Rifles), Qr.-mr., Sergt. Underhill to be Qr.-mr., vice Topp, retired.

The Royal Inniskilling Fuslrs., Capt. Hare has been seconded for service as a Probr. for the Army Pay Dept.

Lieut. Greenfield to be Capt, vice Hill, resigned.

The Gloucestershire Regt., Major Rumsey retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Lieut.-Col.

Lieut. Trotman to be Capt., vice Somerville, retired.

The East Lancashire Regt., Sergt.-Major Guest to be Qr.-mr., vice J. Rowland, transferred to the 3rd Bn.

The East Surrey Regt., Maj. Jebb retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Lieut.-Col.

The Duke of Cornwall's L. I., The date of promotion of Maj. John to the rank of Lieut.-Col., is 26th July, 1881, and not as stated in the *Gazette* of 28th Oct.

The South Staffordshire Regt., Capt. and Bt.-Maj. Byng retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Lieut.-Col.

Lieut. Rokeby, from Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Berkshire Regt.), to be Lieut., vice Lindley, transferred to the 1st Dragoons.

The Dorsetshire Regt., Lieut.-Col. and Bt.-Col. Shiffner, retires on half-pay.

The Prince of Wales's Vols. (South Lancashire Regt.), Capt. Brougham to be Maj., vice Dudgeon, deceased.

Capt. Moberly to be Maj., vice Brougham seconded for service as an Adjt. of Auxy. Forces.

The Black Watch (Rl. Hghldrs), Capt. Cumberland, has been seconded for service on the Staff.

The Oxforsdhire L. I., Col.-Sergt. Williams to be Qr.-mr., vice Leech, deceased.

The Essex Regt., Lieut. Bell resigns his Commission.

Sergt. Maj. Tuck to be Qr.-mr., vice Costeloe transferred to the 4th B.

The Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regt.), Lieut. Jones, Adjt., to be Capt,, vice Carter, appointed Adjt. of Militia.

The Northamptonshire Regt., Lieut. Bennet to be Capt., vice Ellis, promoted.

The King's L. I. (Shropshire Regt.) Lieut. Eyton to be Capt., vice Waller, promoted Maj. on half-pay.

Qr.-mr. Sergt. Griffiths to be Qr.-mr., vice Geary, retired.

The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regt.), Capt. Michel to be Adjt.

The King's Rl. Rifle Corps, Capt. Mends has been seconded for service as an Adjt. of Auxy. Forces.

The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regt.), Lieut. Alexander to be Capt., vice Verner, promoted.

Lieut. Hill to be Capt., vice Wayman, promoted.

The Manchester Regt., Lieut. Rochfort-Boyd, Adjt., to be Capt., vice Gall, seconded.

The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regt.), Maj. Sharp retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Lieut.-Col.

Lieut. Bradley to be Capt., vice Sparks, promoted.

The Gordon Hghldrs., Lieut.-Col. and Bt.-Col. Parker, C.B., having completed five years service as a Regtl. Lieut.-Col. has been placed on half-pay.

The Rl. Irish Rifles, Lieut.-Col. and Bt.-Col. Adams retires on full-pay, with the honorary rank of Maj.-Genl.

The Prince Consort's Own (Rifle Bgde.), Capt. Sir Fitzgerald, Bart. (Kt. of Kerry), retires from the service, receiving a gratuity, with permission to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform.

Lieut. Nixon, from the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regt.), to be Lieut., vice the Hon. Hamilton, deceased.

Lieut. Lawrence, from the Bedfordshire Regt., to be Lieut., vice Hunt, resigned.

The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regt. (Rl. Canadians), Lieut. Clery to be Capt., vice Tidy, promoted.

The Rl. Munster Fuslrs., Lieut. Evans to be Capt., vice Small, seconded.

Sergt.-Maj., Sullivam to be Qr.-mr., vice Harper, transferred to the 4th Batn.

The Rl. Dublin Fuslrs., Capt. Lysaght has been seconded for service as a Probr. for the Army Pay Dept.

Capt. John Irving has been seconded for service as a Probr. for the Army Pay Dept.

1st West India Regt., Lieut. Bosworth, Adjt., to be Capt., to complete Estabt.

Lieut. Madden to be Capt., vice Bolton, retired.

Staff, Lieut. Luttrell, the Prince Consort's Own (Rifle Bgde.), to be Extra A-de-C. to the Lord Lieut.-Genl. and Genl. Governor of Ireland.

Comst. and Transport Staff, Dy. Asst. Comsy.-Genl. Gosset has resigned his Commission.

Comst. and Transport Corps, First Class Staff Sergt. Cooper to be Riding-Master, vice Moorehouse retired.

Army Pay Dept., Staff Paymr. and Hony. Maj. Thompson is placed on retired pay with the hony. rank of Lieut.-Col.

Staff Paymr. and Hony. Maj. Vyner has been placed on retired pay with the honorary rank of Lieut.-Col.

For Hony. Capt. Maroni to be Staff Paymr. &c., &c., as stated in *Gazette* of 4th Nov. Read, Hony. Capt. Marvin, &c., &c.

Paymr. and Hony. Capt. Dawes is placed on half-pay.

The undermentioned Officer, having resigned his Combatant Commission, to be Paymr., with the honorary rank of Capt. in the Army :—

Captain James A. R. Bell, from the Rl. Irish Rifles. Dated 12th April, 1881, such antedate not to carry pay prior to 19th Nov., 1881.

Medl. Dept., Surg-Maj. Rahilly retires upon temporary half-pay.

Half-Pay, Capt. and Bt. Lieut-Col. Addy, Adjt. Recruiting Dist, Dublin, to be Maj.

Capt. and Bt. Lieut-Col. Maxwell, from the Manchester Regt., a D. A. Q. G. at Headquarters, to be Maj.

Capt. Boulderson, from Princess Louise's (Sutherland and Argyll Hghlrs.), to be Maj.

Capt. Cooke, from the Worcestershire Regt., to be Major.

Capt. Pollard, from 1st W. I. Regt., to be Maj.

Capt. Ogden, from the Prince of Wales's Own (W. Yorkshire Regt.), to be Maj.

Capt. Roberts, from the Welsh Regt., to be Maj.

Capt. Golding, from the Hampshire Regt., to be Maj.

Capt. Pennell, from the Northamptonshire Regt., to be Maj.

Capt. Westropp, from the Durham L. I., to be Maj.

Capt. Smail, from the Worcestershire Regt., to be Maj.

Capt. Evans, from the Lancashire Fslrs. to be Maj.

Capt. Brereton, from the Rd. N. Lancashire Regt., to be Maj.

Capt. Jobling, from the York and Lancaster Regt., to be Maj.

Capt. Simpson, from the Prince of Wales's Leinster Regt. (R. Canadians), to be Maj.

Capt. Fair, from the Northamptonshire Regt., to be Maj.

Capt. O'Brien, from the Oxfordshire L. I., to be Maj.

Capt. Darley, from the Northumberland Fuslrs., to be Major.

Hony. Maj, O'Brien, late Capt., 82nd Foot, who was compulsorily removed from his Regt. in accordance with the terms of the Rl. Warrant of 1st May, 1878, to be Maj., dated 1st July, under the provisions of the Rl. Warrant of 25th June.

Retired Full-Pay, Lieut.-Col. and Bt.-Col. Hallowes, half-pay, has retired on full-pay, with the honorary rank of Maj.-Genl.

MEMORANDA.

Maj.-Genl. Thomas, C.B., retires on retired pay with the honorary rank of Lieut.-Genl.

Maj.-Genl. Wilby, C.B., Comdg. the Troops, Ceylon, to be Supnmry. to the Estabt. of Genl. Officers.

Maj. and Bt.-Col. Butler, half-pay late 57th Foot, has been placed on retired pay, with honorary rank of Maj. Genl.

Lieut-Col. and Bt.-Col Chaplin, half-pay, late 4th Dragoon Guards, retires on retired pay, with the hony. rank of Maj.-Genl.

The retirement on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Col., dated 1st Oct. of Capt. and Bt. Lieut-Col. Addy, Adjt. Recruiting Dist, Dublin, which was notified in the *Gazette* of 30th Sept. is canceeled.

Maj. and Bt. Lieut.-Col Addy, Adjt. Recruiting Dist., Dublin, has been placed on retired pay, with the hony rank of Col.

Qr.-mr. Murray, the King's Own L. I. (South Yorkshire Regt.), to have the hony and relative rank of Capt.

Dy. Asst-Comsy. Jones, Madras Estabt., to have the hony. rank of Lieut.

The following promotion to take place in succession to Maj.-Genl. Weare, C. B., placed upon the Retired List on 12th Aug. with a step of honorary rank :—

Bt.-Col. Dunne, from Lieut.-Col. Comdg. a Regtl. Dist., to be Maj.-Gen.

To be Cols.—Capt. and Lieut.-Col. the Hon. Villiers, Gdr. Guards (Military Attache).

Lieut.-Col. Bret, 2nd W. I. Regt.

Lieut.-Col. Phillips, 18th Husrs.

Lieut.-Col. Hughes, the Dorsetshire Regt.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Maj. Barton, late 85th Foot to be Maj..

Maj. and Hony. Col. Scott, C.B., late half-pay, to be Maj.

Capt. Foster, Maj. 3rd Bn. the South Staffordshire Regt. resigns his Commission.

Capt. Herapath, 4th Bn. the Rl. Fslrs (City of London Regt.), to be Capt.

Capt. Crookshank, 24th Middlesex R. V. Corps, to be Lieut.

E. G.-Parry, Esq., late Lieut. 2nd Bn. the Rl. Welsh Fslrs., to be Lieut.

Lieut. Saunders, 3rd Bn. the E. Surrey Regt., to be Lieut.

STATE OF IRELAND.

MR. PATRICK FULLHAM, central organiser of the Land League for Louth, Meath, and Dublin, was arrested on Monday for intimidating people from paying their rents.

Laurence Mahony, secretary of the Cloonulty branch of the Land League, was arrested on Tuesday, under the Protection Act.

On Tuesday five of the suspects were released from Galway gaol, after five months' imprisonment, two belonging to county Leitrim, two to county Galway, and one to county Sligo. Thomas Fallon, of county Sligo, was also released.

A daring attempt to shoot a landlord was made on Sunday, in broad daylight. While Major-General Meares, of Meares Court, co. Westmeath, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Fetherston Lowry, were returning from attending Divine service in Ballymore Church, a shot was fired at them from behind a ditch, fortunafely doing no injury. General Meares at once jumped off the car, and kept the would-be murderers (two in number) in view till a body of police arrived and went in pursuit, but without overtaking them. The occurrence took place at about two o'clock in the day, and about forty yards from the police barracks. General Meares is an extensive landlord in the county. A later despatch states that Major-General Meares had lately issued writs against a number of his tenants for recovery of rent. Last week, while hunting with the Westmeath Harriers, he was stopped by several persons from coming on their lands, and had to give up his sport for the day. It appears that the would-be assassins, when pursued by the General after the attempt, must have passed close to the Ballymore police barracks. Nothing is yet known of any arrests in connection with the case. General Meares, whose residence, Meares Court, is a few miles from the scene of the outrage, served with distinction in the army, and retired some years ago from the command of the 20th Regiment with the rank of major-general.

Shortly after eight o'clock on Saturday night five disguised men entered the house of Thomas Galvin, a farmer, at Dooneen, near Castleisland, county Kerry. The occupants of the premises at the time were Galvin, his mother, and two female servants. The men were armed with muzzle-loading guns, and had white handkerchiefs across their faces to conceal the features. One of the intruders, a tall fellow, asked Galvin if he had paid his rent. The farmer replied in the affirmative, adding that all his neighbours had likewise done so. The tall man, who appeared to be the leader of the party, then coolly asked Galvin whether he would prefer having his ears cut off or be shot. He replied he would prefer death to mutilation. The unfortunate man was then directed to kneel on the floor, and one of the party said, "Fire; take him about the legs." Five shots were then fired, and three bullets lodged in Galvin's left thigh. Having fallen on his face, he was beaten with the butt-end of a gun, when his terror-stricken mother threw herself upon her son to save him from death. She states that the gun was broken by the heavy blows administered. The disguised party then left. The servants were so frightened that they did not go for a doctor to attend the wounded man till Sunday morning.

Particulars have arrived of an outrage committed at Killavullen, county Cork, on Saturday night. It was of a most cowardly and brutal character. Twenty men, armed with rifles and revolvers, first attempted to force the door, but Mr. Curtin and his son resisted the intrusion. Shots were then fired through the windows and the door was broken in. The attacking party had their faces blackened, and the leader was dressed in a soldier's tunic. They maltreated all the inmates, dragging Mrs. Curtin out of bed. Drawers and desks were ransacked for money, but unsuccessfully; as Mrs. Curtin concealed it. Mr. Curtin was dragged qut to a field, placed upon his knees, and sworn that he would not eject a sub-tenant named Barrett, who occupies a house close by. As the farmer did not repeat the words of the oath as they were dictated he received a blow on the head from the butt-end of the gun. He was also compelled to give up the notice he was about to serve on Barrett. The parties then fired several shots and left. Mr. Curtin refuses to swear information against his assailants.

Mr. Columbus Balfe, a respectable tenant farmer, was fired at on Monday night while standing at his own doorway, near Trim. No arrests were made.

At the Gort Petty sessions, on Tuesday, two brothers named Morrissey and a man named Cunliffe, were charged with being concerned in the murder of Peter Doherty, who was shot at his own door a few nights ago. They were remanded. A third of the Morrisseys who was in Court was arrested under the Coercion Act when leaving. He is charged with being an accessory in the crime of murder.

On Tuesday night the tails were cut off more than a hundred cattle, the property of an extensive farmer and cattle dealer, named John Flanagan, within a short distance of the town of Roscommon.

About seven o'clock on Tuesday a shot from a revolver was fired through the kitchen window of a farmer named Barnabas Kingston, at Meek, a short distance from Rosscarbery. The bullet penetrated the glass and shutters, and lodged in the wall opposite. The Family were sitting at table, but fortunately no one was injured. The son of a man named Patrick Hayes, residing in Rosscarbery, was arrested on suspicion of being concerned in the outrage.

The woman Thompson, a pauper inmate of the South Dublin workhouse, died on Tuesday. She was the most important witness for the Crown in a murder case, as she occupied the same room with the woman Anne Taylor, now awaiting her trial, and the murdered woman, Margaret Johnston.

On Tuesday her Majesty's troopship Assistance disembarked 150 men of the 57th Regiment, under the command of Captain Moore, at the Northwall, Dublin. The soldiers then left for headquarters at Kilkenny. This is the first instance for many years of one of the troopships coming up the river. They generally disembark their troops at Kingstown.

An eider down quilt in green satin has been manufactured in Cork, to the order of a London lady, for presentation to Mr. Parnell. The monogram of Mr. Parnell is neatly worked into the centre in gold lace.

At Limerick, on Tuesday, the Sub-commissioners reduced rents in one case from 76*l.* to 64*l.*, being 4*l.* more than the immediate lessor (Rev. T. Bownes, P.P. Kilmallock) pays to the head landlord. The commissioners stated that they left the margin so that Dr. Bownes would not have to pay poor rates, &c., and be out of pocket, as another middleman was, owing to one of their recent judgments. The court next gave judgment on the question of town parks. They decided that the lands of Singland and Rhebagire and park were not accommodation farms, because the tenants lived of the foldings and reared their families there. The lands were, in their opinion, agricultural holdings, and thus within the act. The question of value in each case was reserved. In the case of Blake, tenant, Lord Clarina, landlord, the commissioners reduced the rent to 44*l.*, the same as the Government valuation. The old rent was 53*l.* In the case of McCarthy, tenant, R. D. Mathews, landlord, the rent was reduced from 69*l.* to 46*l.* 10s.

The Sub-commission at Ballina on Wednesday gave its decisions upon the applications for reduction of rent upon the estate of Miss Florence Knox in Connaught. The rents were reduced by about one-half, and the chairman took the opportunity, whilst withholding the grounds upon which they based their judgments, and of expressing regret at the inconvenience this might entail upon the owner, to suggest that fair and moderate rentals paid by contented and improving tenants were more advantageous to the recipient than rack rentals of much larger nominal value.

Her Majesty's letters appointing Mr. William Moore Johnson Attorney-general for Ireland, and Mr. Andrew M. Porter, Solicitor-general for Ireland, were received in Dublin on Wednesday.

Mr. Parnell has recovered from his recent indisposition, but declines to receive visitors except on special business, owing to the restraint placed upon him by the presence of warders. Mr. Dillon's health is precarious. Mr. Gray, M. P., visited Kilmainham Gaol to present Mr. Dillon with a dressing-gown and smoking-cap from the Dungarvan branch of the Ladies' Land League.

MR. PARNELL.

A CORRESPONDENT writes to a London paper :—"The fact that Mr. Parnell is originally of English, and not Irish origin seems not sufficiently known. In the 17th century the family occupied a good position at Congleton, in Cheshire, and were of the Commonwealth party during the Civil wars. At the time of the Restoration Thomas Parnell, the then head of the family, left England and settled in Ireland, where he purchased an estate. The property descended to his son Thomas, the well-known author of 'The Hermit, and other poems, whose biography finds a place in Dr. Johnson's 'Lives of the Poets.' From that work we learn that on the ejection of the Whigs at the end of Queen Anne's reign Parnell was persuaded to change his party, and he became the friend of Swift, through whose influence he received valuable Church promotion at the hands of Archbishop King. Dr. Aikin in his notice of the poet records this further fact, 'that in every year, as soon as he had collected his rents and the revenues of his benefices, he came over to England and spent some months, living in elegant style, and impairing rather than improving his fortune.' His brother John, who succeeded to the estate at his death, was a Judge of the Court of King's Bench, and the direct lineal ancestor of the present Home Rule leader. The late Sir Henry Parnell, who held office in England under Lord Melbourne's Government, and was by him created Baron Congleton in 1841, was descended from the same stock. Mr. Charles Steward Parnell is the son of a younger brother, John Henry Parnell of Avondale, county Wicklow, and was educated at Cambridge. He is now owner of the Avondale estate. His mother, as is well known, was American.

TRIAL OF GUITEAU.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.

AT an early hour this morning a crowd assembled round the Court House where Guiteau, the murderer of General Garfield, was to be put upon his trial. There was, however, no particular excitement, and an entire absence of disorder. Anticipating unseemly exhibitions of feeling, the authorities had a strong force of police ready, in addition to a special body of detectives or marshals, who were distinguished by the wearing of red ribbons.

The doors of the Court were opened at ten o'clock, and the room was completely filled in a few minutes by the lawyers, the grand jury, a body of citizens, and a few ladies.

Guiteau, who looked pale and anxious, entered the dock at five minutes past ten. He was allowed a seat. His sister and another relative were present. On the left of the judge sat the Attorney-General and the other Government lawyers and officers representing the War Department, while on the opposite side were the prisoner's counsel and some immediate friends of General Garfield, including among them Judge-Advocate Swaine and Colonel Rockwell.

Mr. Robinson, who has been assigned by the Government for the defence of Guiteau, applied to the Court for a delay of the trial. At the conclusion of his speech the prisoner, who was nervous and restless during its delivery, excitedly and angrily demanded that he should be heard on his own behalf. His counsel in vain attempted to restrain him, the prisoner insisting on conducting the case himself and attempting to read an address to the Court.

Several scenes of this character occurred, Guiteau repeatedly trying to obtain a hearing. He was held in his seat by the bailiffs, whom he bitterly abused.

The effect produced by his condnct is that he is trying to create an impression of insanity; he loses no opportunity of making a demonstration in that direction.

The trial of Guiteau was proceeded with to-day During the sitting of the Court the prisoner was less nervous and excitable than yesterday. The Court granted Mr. Scoville's request for an order for additional witnesses to be summoned in the prisoner's defence. Three more jurymen were to-day empanelled.

Nov. 16.

The trial of Guiteau was continued to-day, a full jury having been obtained. During the proceedings the prisoner wrote and sent to the papers a letter ignoring Mr. Robinson's right to act as his counsel, announcing that he proposed to take an active part in his own defence, appealing to the lawyers of the country for assistance, and promising to pay them from public contributions and other sources. Mr. Scoville informed the Court that he disapproved of this letter, whereupon the prisoner excitedly insisted that he had not accepted counsel, and that until he did he would defend himself. The Court after-

wards adjourned. During the proceedings Guiteau displayed great irritability.

Nov. 17.

A sensational story has reached Washington from Chicago, to the effect that an accomplice of Guiteau has been arrested in the latter city, and that a conspiracy for the assassination of President Garfield has been discovered there. District Attorney Corkhill denies the truth of this report, and the despatches published by this evening's papers show it to be a mere fabrication.

The interest in the trial is increasing. The Court-room was excessively crowded to-day. Mr. Scoville denied any disagreement with Mr. Robinson, and stated that they would both work in harmony. Guiteau thereupon rose, and objected to Mr. Robinson participating in his defence. He disparaged Mr. Robinson, and declared that if he was forced upon him as counsel he would make a noise about it throughout the country. The prisoner said he wished the Court to understand that he represented the Deity in this case. The Court warned the prisoner to keep quiet, or he would be removed. Guiteau subsequently exclaimed that the Chicago story of a plot to assassinate President Garfield was a lie. He manifested much excitement, using violent gestures and making noisy demonstrations. Mr. Secretary Blaine, who is summoned as a witness in the case, was present in court to-day.

The District Attorney made the opening speech for the prosecution, and on the prisoner attempting to interrupt him, the Court again threatened to have him removed and to try the case without his presence. The prisoner then promised not to renew the offence.

Mr. Blaine, on being examined, testified to the circumstances connected with the shooting of President Garfield, and also to the rejection of Guiteau's many applications for office. He stated that he had requested the prisoner to discontinue his visits, and had never noticed anything to indicate any derangement of his mind. Mr. Scoville cross-examined Mr. Blaine, and sought to show that the political bitterness existing at the time of the assassination was likely to have influenced the prisoner's mind. Another altercation subsequently occurred between Mr. Scoville and Guiteau, the latter expostulating against the line of defence adopted by his counsel. He was then removed with difficulty by the bailiffs.

On the re-assembling of the Court after the adjournment, the Venezuelan *Chargé d' Affaires* and other eye-witnesses gave evidence concerning the shooting of the late President.

Nov. 18.

The removal of Guiteau from the Court yesterday was not by order of the Bench, but in consequence of his insisting upon continuing his altercation with counsel during the adjournment.

The counsel for the defence reserved their opening statement.

RISING IN THE TRANSVAAL.

THE *Standard's* Durban correspondent telegraphed on November 16th :—A despatch has been received from Pretoria to the effect that Mopoch, the leading native chief in the Lydenburg district, has taken up arms against the Boers. As it has been for some time anticipated that he would take this course, the report is likely to prove a correct one. At the time that the country was handed back to Boers, Mopoch declared that rather than return under their rule he and his tribe would fight to the death, and he sent word to that effect, through the British officer resident with him to Sir Evelyn Wood. The white residents of the district are said to be flying from the district in the utmost consternation. Great uneasiness also prevails in the Wakerstrom district, where the Kaffirs are openly preparing for some enterprise. There is a strong feeling here that the natives throughout the Transvaal will act as they warned the Royal Commission that they should do, if deserted by England—namely, fight to the last before they returned to their former state of slavery and oppression. If the rising spreads throughout the Transvaal it is doubtful whether the Boers will be able to hold their ground. Two thousand British troops are to be permanently stationed at Newcastle.

THE CONVICT LEFROY.

THE statement that Sir William Harcourt has decided to send to Lewes gaol an eminent medical man to examine and report on the condition of the mind of the convict Lefroy, is officially contradicted.

The execution of Lefroy will take place on the 29th inst., and Marwood will be the executioner. The last execution—and the first private one—in Lewes gaol was that of Martin Brown, in January, 1869, of the murder of David Baldy on Newmarket-hill, Sussex.

Mr. Foster, an inhabitant of Hastings, who was tried at the last Quarter sessions for attempted suicide, and who passed the period between his committal and trial in the infirmary cell in Lewes gaol, with Percy Lefroy Mapleton, has, in answer to questions, made the following statement :—

Do I hold him to be guilty? Well, as my opinion goes for nothing, and there is no harm in saying so now, I may say that I do. We used to get the newspapers, but before we got them they used to cut out everything about the trial, and Lefroy himself did not seem inclined to speak much about it. I was put with him in the infirmary cell and with a young chap named Morris, who got upon the line at Eastbourne. I went in on July 23 and left on Oct. 18. Morris, I, and Lefroy all slept in the same room. This room contained four beds. I should say the infirmary cell where we slept was about 30 ft. long by 20ft. I can assure you we had fine doings. Talk about a prison! If it was not for the confinement, you would hardly think it was one. I scarcely touched prison fare while I was there. Lefroy was kept well supplied with hampers and all sorts of luxuries, except, of course, alcoholic liquors, and I can tell you, as a fact, that Lefroy is related by marriage to a certain noble earl, from whose cook came an elaborate supply of everything in the shape of eatables. What sort of a dispositioned young man was he, you ask me? Well, I should say a seemingly more kindly-hearted, nice young fellow does'nt breathe. No one could possibly believe him to be guilty of murder. Whatever came into the prison to him was as much ours as his. Of course, we did get talking occasionally about the murder, and I put certain questions to him, but, as a rule, he did not seem to care to discuss the matter, although, whenever we spoke of it, he professed his innocence, and seemed confident of getting off. We were up to all sorts of tricks in the gaol. You certainly would never think that one of us was a man who stood in peril of his life, with a horrible charge of murder hanging over his head. You see this tall hat of mine with the bulges in it? We used to make this hat the wicket, get Morris's bolster for the bat, and Lefroy taking off his stockings, we used to roll them into a ball, and have rare fun. We used to have concerts too, when we were tired of cricket. Lefroy did not sing, as he was no singer, so I supplied the vocalisation, and we used to make music with our hair combs. Lefroy used to boast considerably that he could easily get out, and that he had instruments about him for the purpose. Did he appear as if he had any sense of religion? Well, I can't say that he did, at all events, when he first came in; but, although you may think that I am not much of a one myself for the Bible, I really think I got him to read it. I don't think he attended much to the chaplain's ministrations, for they were not very good friends. A day or two before I left, the chaplain said to him, "I shall have something to say to you when you come back." Lefroy took that up as meaning that the chaplain already condemned him, and afterwards said, "I would rather chop my hand quite off than speak to him again." I remember on one occasion, although he held that he would surely disprove his guilt—assuming the probability of his being condemned, and I asked him what he thought about the matter. He said, "If I am condemned, I will face death like a man; it will not put me out." At another time I asked him how he got to London from Wallington when he left his cousin's house. He said that walk was the worst thing he ever had to endure. During the journey he sat on one of the bridges for four hours, tired and worn out. When he reached London he went to a friend and got some money. He also told me that what he greatly regretted was that he was not able to find his way to Ireland—he was detained in England through want of money—for he felt if he could only have reached there that he would have been qiute safe. He used to think it was great fun in deceiving everybody as to his whereabouts when the police were pursuing him. One thing I noticed in his character was that he was very hot-headed, and if you dared him to do a thing that would be the thing he would be most likely to do. I only remember him strange in his manner once, and that was one evening. He then said "I feel I must do something serious before I go to sleep." I replied, laughingly, "Then you had better throw your book—the Bible—through the window." No sooner said than done, for he did throw the book from him, but whether he intended it go through the window or not I cannot tell. It broke one or two panes of glass, however. The next day he apologised to the Governor for what he done. He used to say that in prison he was never more comfortable in his life. In the exercise time he told me he had got some poison—prussic acid, I think it was. At any rate, he said it would kill dogs immediately. You ask—Do I think he is insane? No, I certainly do not. He himself laughed at the idea. He can't bear the chaplain; and I am sure, now that he has gone back to Lewes, he won't have anything to say to him. I feel rather grieved that he is going to be hung, after living with him over three months. He never used to say any prayers. He seemed to like getting his name up. He was strong, and had muscles like wire. He hardly ever mentioned Mr. Gold, and when he did it was when I brought it up. I could not see how he could get out of the charge, but he used to say he was prepared.

And elder sister of Lefroy supplies the following details :—Percy Lefroy Mapleton is the son of the late Captain Mapleton, who, at the time of his marriage in 1843 was a master in the Royal Navy. By the influence of his father-in-law, Mr. William Seale, then secretary at St. Helena, Captain Mapleton was offered and he accepted the position of summary judge at that island, an appointment created for him. He afterwards rose to the rank of staff-commander, and in 1866 he was asked to resign his post at St. Helena, in consequence of mental imcapacity. Prior to that date for some years he had been subject to hallucinations and to fits of mental delusion, and on one occasion attempted to commit suicide. His condition of mind was a source of great trouble to his wife, who previous to the birth of Lefroy was subject to intense melancholia, which was followed by a severe attack of brain fever. The forced resignation by her husband of his lucrative appointment, which occurred a very short time before her child was born, preyed upon her mind considerably. Captain Mapleton was 54 years of age when his son was born; he died two years ago at the age of 74, from softening of the brain. Lefroy's mother died when her child was six years old, and the care of the family devolved upon her sister, whose death occurred about a twelvemonth since. Lefroy was educated partly at home, and when a mere youth was allowed to enter into some theatrical speculations, which ended disastrously, and he was sent off to Australia. He had been there four months only when a telegram was received from him stating that he had broken his arm, which was untrue. His return passage money was paid out of a sum of 200l. to which he would become entitled, and he came back to England about 18 months since. When he called upon his elder sister in January last he expressed a fear that the police were looking for him, and she was alarmed to hear him ask whether she did not see some one following him. On the same occasion he narrated an improbable tale treating of an engagement he alleged to have procured for some one whose references, he feared, would prove fictitious, and he stated that he had journeyed to Southend to see whether they were so or not. As it turned out, there was not a shadow of foundation for this representation. Since his incarceration at Lewes the prisoner has entertained similar fancies, and two or three days before his trial he telegraphed saying that a gentleman in the South of England had guaranteed 100l. towards the legal expenses. This assertion, it transpired, was altogether groundless. Lefroy, in describing his flight from Wallington, has stated that he walked to Islington, and on the following night he stayed at a house in the Strand.

Mrs. Clayton writes as follows to a contemporary :—With a heart almost breaking, with an agony too great for words, I write to entreat space in your columns for a few words on the subject of any unhappy but tenderly-loved cousin, Percy Lefroy Mapleton. Almost every newspaper has teemed with accounts of his errors and crimes, until the public can scarcely help believing that to his character and disposition there is not—what is generally allowed to all others—an "angel side." How bitter this is to those who love him can be imagined, and all I seek to do is to state in a few words what his home life and disposition have been during all his 21 years. From quite a child reading has been his favourite amusement, both his natural temperament and delicacy of constitution rendering more active pastimes undesirable. Gentle, even-tempered, and affectionate, he has always been truly loved by his immediate family; and from his having lived, ever since his birth, with me, no one is better able to speak so of him. I can honestly assert that in his whole life I have never known him to harm an animal or speak angrily to a living soul, although his extraordinary delusions were always a source of distress to us. My little children love him dearly, and have always looked to him for amusement and enjoyment; while to me he has been as a kind a attentive younger brother. Only this time last year he was a patient nurse to my aged and dying mother and to believe him capable of the frightful deed imputed to him is to us, who know him so well, utter impossibility. Losing him at all would be an intense grief, but to lose him in this most awful of awful ways means home desolation and misery, which can end only with our lives.

During his incarceration in Lewes gaol, the prisoner has written a large number of letters to his friends, all of which were couched in the most affectionate language. The first letter was written on July 10 (two days after his capture) to his cousin, Mrs. Clayton. In that letter he says :—"The particulars of my coming here are of course only too well known to you, and I need not pain either you or myself by mentioning them again. God will, I firmly believe, yet extricate me from this terrible position, and that is the one thought that keeps me up. I have the greatest confidence in Mr. Dutton's ability, and I have every reason to believe his or rather my strong defence will be successful in the end . . . I must wish you good-bye and God bless you. Dearest——you in spite of all my faults, know me better than to believe me capable of taking the blood of a poor old man." Writing or August 9, Lefroy deprecates any sort of public appeal for funds to aid him in his defence. On the 11th of August he wrote to Mrs. Clayton :—"In spite of the terrible charge made against me I am happy here, and were God's hand to strike me down now, I should feel no fear; my mind is at rest—the rest that comes from innocence, and from that alone." On August 16 he said :—"The time that I think of you most, dear, is during our long nights in bed, and from 8-30 p.m. until six a.m. Then my mind, in the stillness of the night, wanders back, carries me out once more to life and freedom, and to you. Bitter thoughts against God rise up in my mind, and I try in vain to divine why I have been thus cruelly afflicted by Him. Possibly from my past life I may have deserved this awful punishment, but, after all my sins have been more of omission than commission. My years are but a boy's, so does not this fearful chastisement seem out of proportion to my offence? Annie, dearest, shall ever see the silver lining of the cloud again? In any case I must be—nay, I am, far happier than the wretched man who has escaped the hands of justice and left an ill-fated fellow-creature to suffer in his stead. At least, however, one Judge has already acquitted me of the awful crime with which I have been charged. In the last letter of the series, dated October 25, he said:—"Now that the trial is approaching I feel no fear; on the contrary, however strange it may appear, I am happier now than I have been in a good many epochs of my life. Thank God, my health is quite up to the average, and I am ready, hopeful, and trustful for the combat. How often I think of home you can well imagine, and each night I look forward to with delight, for then I am far away from here, free and happy once again with all I love. And this I am firmly persuaded God will allow me to be once again in reality. With fondest love to all.—Yours ever, PERCY."

The Chaplain of Lewes prison, the Rev. T. H. Cole, in a letter to Mrs. Clayton, dated Saturday, Nov. 12th, says that he sees her cousin daily, and that the way in which he receives his ministrations leaves nothing to be desired in the way of gentleness and submission. He mentions that he had on that day received a most kind letter from Staff-commander R. A. Burstal, who knew our highly esteemed Lefroy's parents in St. Helena.

The following is a copy of the memorial which has been issued for signature on behalf of the convict, Percy Lefroy Mapleton :—

"To the Right Honourable Sir William Harcourt, her Majesty's Secretary of State for Home Affairs.

"A humble petition that her most gracious Majesty may be advised to reprieve the sentence of death passed at Maidstone assizes, on Tuesday, the 8th inst., by the Lord Chief Justice of England upon Percy Lefroy Mapleton, for the murder of Frederick Isaac Gold, on the 27th day of June last past. The grounds of this petition are as follows :—

"1. That the evidence entirely failed to show the slightest premeditation, and that there is the strongest possible ground for believing that the act was done under the influence of homicidal mania; there being, as will be subsequently disclosed, a great predisposition to insanity from the family history of the accused.

"2. That the defence set up at the trial would have been that the accused was not responsible for his acts by reason of the state of his mind, had not his solicitor, Mr. Dutton, who acted for him throughout, received positive directions from the accused as to the presence of a third person in the carriage, which neither his said solicitor nor his relatives were, of course, in a position to disregard.

"3. That the father of the accused died of softening of the brain on the—day of—, A.D. 18—, at Peckham-rye, in the county of Surrey.

"4. That his grandfather also became insane some time prior to his death, occurred on the—day of—, A.D.—, at—

"5. That his uncle was also insane, and actually died in a lunatic asylum at—, on the—day of—, A. D. —

"6. That the accused himself, who has always been of a weak, sickly temperament, had a sunstroke whilst standing on the race-course at Epsom on the Derby day of 18—, on which occasion he fell down in a fit, and was taken home in a conveyance and confined to his bed for several days, and has never since been the same man, having been subjected to long and continued fits of despondency and depression.

"7. That the demeanour of the accused during the continuance of his trial was one of stolid indifference, and that he seemed in no way, either before or after sentence, to realise the gravity of his situation, we, your petitioners, attribute to the diseased condition of his mind.

"Your petitioners, therefore, humbly pray that a competent medical inquiry may forthwith be made into the mental condition of the above named Percy Lefroy Mapleton; and that should, as your petitioners anticipate, a report be made that he is not, and has not been for some time responsible for his actions, her most gracious Majesty be advised mercifully to reprieve the sentence of death passed upon him; and your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray."

Every effort is being made by the relatives of the convict to make the memorial as complete as possible in every detail.

Lefroy, in writing to one of his sisters this week, remarked that he was tired and weary of his life, and although he felt that he was standing on the very verge of the scaffold, he was happier than he had been for six months.—*Lloyd's London News Paper.*

FATAL FIGHT ABOUT LEFROY.

SHORTLY before 12 o'clock on Monday night a man named John Henry Beedham, of 8, Stainsbury-road, Bethnal-green, was killed by a man named James Newman, in consequence of a dispute about Lefroy. At about half-past 11 the two men were standing in the Salmon and Bull public-house, Bethnal-green-road, drinking together, when they commenced to talk about Lefroy, one of the men asserting that he believed him to be guilty, whilst the other expressed a strong opinion that he was innocent. The two men got to very high words, and at last a blow was struck, but on which side does not seem certain. A scuffle ensued, and they were both requested to leave the house, and as they refused they were both put out. As soon as they were in the street the quarrel recommenced, the men seeming hotter than ever. Some friends came up and tried to make peace between them, but they refused all offers of mediation, and finally they agreed to adjourn to Victoria-park-square, a very quiet place, close to the Bethnal-green museum where they could have a few rounds and settle the matter. They accordingly walked towards the square, attended by several of their companions, and when they reached it they at once took off their coats and commenced to fight. After they had been sparring for some little time Newman struck Beedham a heavy blow behind the ear, on which the latter fell at once to the ground. He was picked up and found to be in an apparently insensible condition. Seeing this Newman at once made off. Police-constable Cannon, 71 K. with assistance, took the injured man to Bethnal-green police-station. Inspector Smith sent him at once to Dr. Males, who lives close by. He still appeared to be insensible when the doctor's was reached, and he was therefore laid upon a couch in the surgery whilst the doctor examined him. After he had lain there for a few minutes he gave a deep groan, and expired without having once recovered consciousness.

On Wednesday three young men were brought up at Worship-street police-court, charged with killing Henry Beedham in a fight. The prisoners were *James Newman*, 21, a principal, and *Richard Hill*, 19, and *John Hill*, 17, who were charged with being accessories. The evidence bore out the account given above. Mr. Hannay, remarking that it seemed from what had transpired to have been a fair fight ordered that the prisoners should be released on their own recognisances of 10*l.* each to appear on the re-hearing.

ANOTHER RAILWAY MYSTERY.

THE police are investigating a mysterious circumstance which was discovered on the North London railway at midnight on Tuesday. It appears that as one of the signalmen was returning along the line towards the City, he noticed something lying on one of the sets of rails about a quarter of a mile from the Broad-street station, and upon making examination, he found it to be the body of a woman quite dead, but warm. Her jaw was broken and her head very much cut about. How she came to be where she was found there is no evidence to show up to the present time. The body has been removed to the City mortuary, to await identification. She is about 35 or 40 years of ago, 5 ft. 4 in. in height, and of fair complexion. She was dressed in a jacket trimmed with crape; a black merino dress trimmed with velvet, with buttons down the front. She was evidently in comfortable circumstances, for on her was found between 9*l.* and 10*l.* in money, and she wore a gold watch and chain, gold earrings and brooch, and on her finger was a wedding ring and a keeper. A railway (single) ticket was found in her pocket from Willesden-junction to Broad-street.

TERRIBLE FIRE AT SEA.

AT 10 o'clock on Wednesday night the screw steamship Solway put into Kingston harbour. Her foremast bridge and foremain deck were burned down. Six charred corpses lay on the burning steerage deck, and five other passengers are supposed to have been lost, either by being burned alive or drowned in their attempt to escape from the blazing vessel. It appears that the ship, which is a fine steamer of 700 tons burden, left Belfast on Tuesday, after having put in there on her voyage from Glasgow. All went well until six o'clock on Wednesday morning, when the ship was about twenty miles from Rockabill, off Skerries. A barrel of naphtha-oil then burst on the foremain deck. The oil ran along the deck to the steerage part of the vessel, where it came in contact with the fire, and in another moment the vessel was in flames, the mast and fore main deck burning fiercely. The utmost consternation immediately prevailed, and to heighten the terror of the situation, the sea was running mountains high, a most violent storm raging at the time. Six of the passengers who were in the steerage when the explosion took place were literally enveloped by the flames, and were burnt to death almost immediately. The rest of the passengers and crew—some of them fearfully burned—rushed about in the utmost terror, under the impression that some terrible explosion or further extension of the fire was imminent. Some of them lowered one of the boats, and five persons got away in her during the temporary panic which seems to have prevailed. The remainder of the crew were, however, soon recalled to a sense of their duty, and, under direction of the captain, they got a hose at work from the donkey-engine, by which means they succeeded in keeping the flames somewhat in check, and preventing them from extending. A steamer hove in sight, but did not answer the signals they made. During the day the crew continued at work extinguishing the fire, and about six in the evening the Solway was boarded by a pilot and steered for Kingstown, accompanied by a steamer which had fallen in with her, and which kept company till the Solway was in a place of safety. A party of coast-guardsmen and police afterwards went on board and assisted in the work of extinguishing the fire which was still burning. They also collected the bodies, which were in a terrible state, charred, and with the flesh in some cases burned off.

The following are the names of the crew and passengers who were landed and taken to the hospital, badly burned :—Charles Byrne, Swansea, passenger (he died on Thursday); Chalers Crabbe, seaman, Bristol; Samuel Anderson, Glasgow, seaman; George Chard, seaman, Bristol. Those burned to death were two soldiers of the 24th Regiment, with a deserter in custody; two soldiers of the 56th Regiment, and and a civilian passenger whose name is unknown.

The names of those who left the steamer in the small boat are William H. Fony, second mate, son of the captain; Henry Hall, Roderick Maclean, Charles Cole, sailors; and a passenger named Parkinson, who is a shopkeeper carrying on business at Glasgow.

A telegram from Dublin stated that the total number of lives lost was 13.

THE COTTON DUTIES.

IN an article on this subject, the *Times* writes :—

It is a great pity that both here and in India the question should have got mixed in many minds with the alien question of free trade and protection. The greatest purist in regard to the former may tolerate customs duties, if they are honestly imposed with a view to raise revenue, and not to bolster up decaying or exotic industries. No one, except a few insignificant crotchet-mongers, thinks that we are false to the principles of free trade because we annually raise many millions by Customs. In India cotton duties have been retained for revenue purposes; and if they have had the incidental effect of benefitting the owners of Indian mills, it is loose rhetoric to speak of them as if they were protective taxes. The real question is dealt with only when the precarious and peculiar character of the Indian revenue is faced. It is liable, in the best years, to embarrassing fluctuations. Even if the agitation in favour of abolishing the opium duty be not successful, that source of income cannot be depended upon; it varies much; it is quite a common incident that an Indian Finance Minister is out one or two millions in his calculations as to the yield of it. Deputations usually make light of the sum raised by the cotton duties. They are not large, judged by English standards. But all things fiscal are comparative; and it was incumbent upon the deputation of Friday—to Lord Hartington—to indicate the quarter which a substitute could be looked for. When a Government is forced to raise milions by means of a salt tax; when the land tax presses hardly upon the tillers of the soil; when direct taxes in any form excite discontent or are unproductive, one cannot be too nice as to the mode of finding ways and means. Some day or other Indian financiers may be able to dispense with those duties. The growth in the revenue and the reductions in the expenditure may untie the hands of the Government and enable it to do all which Lancashire cottonspinners desire. The first time that the Indian Government has at its disposal a clear surplus of three-quarters of a million, or, indeed, any substantial sum, it can be devoted to few better objects than to removing taxes which no one would think of imposing except as an unpleasant neeessity. Meantime, Lancashire must be patient. The facts of the situation cannot be ignored, and they, unfortunately, do not warrant the surrender of a certain source of revenue in the blind hope that something, nobody knows what, will be found to replace it. * * *

The import taxes must take their chance with other anomalies of Indian finance. Lord Hartington was careful to impress upon the deputation the expediency of not allowing it even to appear that a decision in regard to a matter vitally affecting the interests of India was dictated by any industry, how ever important, at home. That touches the root of the matter. The question is really one of the details of Indian revenue. We are waking up to the conviction that all Government stores, from a goosequill to a cannon, for use in India need not be imported from Europe. We must also resign ourselves to the sight of Indian financiers working out on the spot matters of detail, and determining by reference to local requirements when it is opportune to do away with any tax.

SPEECH BY MR. J. M. MACLEAN.

LAST evening the annual meeting of the Woolwich, Plumstead, and Charlton Conservative Association was held at the Duke of Connaught Coffee Tavern, Woolwich Arsenal, when the chair was taken by Mr. Henry Shersby, president of the association. Among those present were Colonel Mitchell, Major Frobisher, Mr. Percy Beamish, Admiral Robertson, Mr. Lang, chairman of the Greenwich association, Mr. W. Auld, Mr. W. G. Graham, Mr. J. Cook, Mr. T. Pease, and Mr. E. C. Greenep. Mr. J. M. Maclean, who at the last general election contested the Elgin Burghs against Mr. Grant Duff, delivered an address on "The Present Political Situation." After congratulating the audience on the large attendance, he alluded to the recent municipal elections as an evidence of the value of organisation. He then referred to the state of Ireland, where the Land Act, which had proved to be legalised robbery, had been anything but a message of peace. He next touched on the question of English land law reform, and on the fair trade question, remarking that the income-tax returns showed a considerable reduction during the past five years in the amount of foreign securities held in England. He urged the necessity for England securing Egypt, and went on to state that he thought the Conservative minority would speedily be converted into a majority, for people were becoming tired of the constant unsettlement and change produced by the party in power, who wanted to overturn all our old institutions. Mr. Maclean was frequently applauded with vigour, and the proceedings concluded with a hearty vote of thanks for his address.—*Morning Post*, Nov. 18.

M. GAMBETTA'S PROGRAMME.

PARIS, Nov. 15.

THE Ministerial declaration read this afternoon by M. Gambetta in the Chamber and M. Cazot in the Senate was in these terms :—

"For the third time since 1875 universal suffrage in the plenitude of its sovereignty has just signified its twofold resolution to strengthen the Republic and to surround it with Democratic institutions. Summoned by the confidence of the President of the Republic to form a new Administration, we have no other programme than that of France. She has demanded as the essential instrument of a gradual reforming policy the formation of a united Government, free from all the minor conditions of divisions and weakness, ever ready to discuss the interests of the nation before its representatives and to answer to them for its acts, and able to impose on all grades of the public services respect, obedience, and industry. She counts on finding in the two Houses a trustful and free majority to support that Government and to serve it, on a disciplined, compact, and faithful administration, superior to personal influences as to local rivalries, and solely inspired by the love of duty and of the State. With a view to insure reforms, she has marked her resolution, by a wisely limited revision of the constitutional laws, of putting one of the essential powers of the country in fuller harmony with the democratic nature of our society. And we, in order to obey her, shall propose to you to remodel our judicial institutions; to prosecute perseveringly the work of national education, so well commenced by your predecessors; to resume and complete, without loss of time, our military legislation; to seek without impairing the defensive forces of France, the best means of reducing, in the land and sea forces, the burdens of the country, and of lightening, without jeopardizing our finances, those which weigh on agriculture; to fix by treaties the economic system of our various industries; and to give our means of production, transport, and exchange more active impulse, an ever-increasing development; to promote with the solicitude enforced on representatives of the Democracy, and in a truly practical spirit of justice and solidarity, institutions of providence and social assistance; to insure, by the strict application of the Concordat system, respect for the public powers in the relations of Churches with the State; lastly, while protecting the public liberties, to maintain order at home with firmness and peace abroad with dignity. This series of reforms will take up the whole duration of the Chamber. To bring them to a satisfactory end, and not to fall below the task our patriotism has made it our duty to assume, we need the full and entire confidence of the Republicans of this Assembly. We publicly claim it, and we count on their co-operation. We present ourselves to the representatives of the people with the resolution of placing at its service all the force, courage, and activity we possess. We shall traverse together, in accordance with the will of the country, a fresh stage in the path of unbounded progress upon the French Democracy."

The Declaration was coldly received in the Senate and excited no great enthusiasm in the Chamber.

GREAT DIAMOND ROBBERY AT A LONDON POST OFFICE.

A ROBBERY of the most audacious character was perpetrated on Wednesday evening at the branch post-office on the west side of Hatton-garden. The establishment in question is in charge of three female clerks, who, at about five o'clock, were, as is usually the case at that hour, very busily engaged in serving customers and making up the night mails. Two bags had been already sealed and placed on hooks provided for the purpose (these hooks being in sight of the public) to await collection by the mail-cart. One, a green canvas bag, contained the registered letters deposited at the office during the afternoon, and was marked "Hatton-garden Registered Letters." The other was a common brown bag, filled with ordinary letters and papers, and marked "Hatton-garden: Town Delivery." Suddenly, and at a moment when the small office was rather crowded with customers, all its gaslights went out simultaneously. Great commotion ensued. The young ladies behind the counter were naturally alarmed, and there is considerable difficulty in obtaining any clear amount of what occurred in the darkness. It is certain, however, that several persons made their exit in the course of the few minutes which elapsed before light was restored. Then the unpleasant discovery was at once made that the two bags already described had been removed from the pegs on which they had been hanging, and were nowhere to be found. Information was immediately telegraphed to the General Post Office, and by six o'clock the intelligence reached the King's-cross-road Police-station. Detective Peel, of the G. Division, has since been engaged, together with some officials from St. Martin's-le-Grand, in investigating the circumstances, but up to the present no clue would seem to have been obtained to the whereabouts of the thieves or their plunder. That there were several confederates engaged in the daring enterprise no doubt is entertained. It is even suggested that they may have had an accomplice among the minor *employés* at the post office, inasmuch as the gas is said to have been extinguished by turning the tap of a meter situate in a room occupied by telegraph boys, letter-carriers, &c., to which a stranger could not have obtained access unobserved. The registered letters stolen were numerous. As no record is kept of the senders of such packets some little time must elapse before those persons can be traced and complete information obtained from them as to the nature of the registered articles. It is believed that they amount in value to £80,000 or £100,000. In the neighbourhood of Hatton-garden there is almost a colony of diamonddealers, and it is well known that registered letters containing precious stones pass in exceptionally large numbers to and from that particular branch post-office. It is obvious that the perpetrators of the crime had made themselves well acquainted with the construction of the office and its business arrangements, the most favourable moment and the safest means having been selected for the robbery.—*Daily Telegraph*, Nov. 18.

A FAMOUS DIAMOND.

ON Saturday night one of the great diamonds of the world, the largest, according to Mr. Edwin Streeter, which has been found this century, was exhibited at 18, New Bond-street. It was discovered in the claim of Mr. Porter Rhodes in the Kimberley Mine, South Africa, and by its remarkable whiteness completely disposes of the charge against Africa of being the nurse of tawny diamonds. The surface diamonds had, indeed, a yellow hue, but now that the miners have gone below the trap, they find in Jagersfontein and other famous regions of the Griqua diamond-fields the clearest blue-white stones. The Porter Rhodes diamond was brought to light on February 12, 1880; and before it left the diamond fields £500 (which was placed to the credit of the local hospital) had been paid by spectators admitted to see it, and £60,000 had been offered for it in vain by a syndicate of London jewellers. It weighs 150 carats, is still uncut, but is so cloven that the "table" and one of the "steps" are already formed, and it will lose less than most diamonds in the cutting, being expected to produce a net weight of about 100 carats, when it assumes the form of a brilliant. Its great purity of colour and compactness of shape make it a beautiful object, even in its present rough state. Mr. Streeter shows near it models of other famous diamonds, the Koh-i-Noor (106 1-16 carats), with which Mr. Rhodes has been enabled, by the Queen's permission, to compare it at Windsor, the Star of the South (the great Brazilian stone), the Dresden Drop, &c., together with the unique jewel, the Mackel diamond, in which a smaller stone has been embedded by some freak of nature. Here also is the red diamond, like the ruby, but shooting back the rays of the electric light with a directness characteristic of the diamond; the green diamond with the stone of Ceylon, smaller stones carried for years in a pith-box behind a negro's ear, great milk-white pearls, and the lustrous shells from which they have been taken, pink pearls, and the topazes which display a luminous star blazing in different quarters of their convex hemisphere as the lights fall on them differently. It was interesting to compare with these gems the more valuable jewel from South Africa, and the comparison was enjoyed on Saturday by a numerous company, among whom were many members of the *Corps Diplomatique*, Mr. Childers, Lord E. Churchill, and others. The diamond was shown to the Queen and to Princess Beatrice and the Duke of Albany at Osborne in January of this year, and Her Majesty presented Mr. Rhodes on that occasion with a watch which he showed on Saturday with as much pride as his big diamond.—*Times*, Nov. 15.

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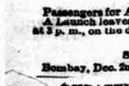

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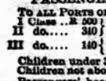

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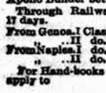

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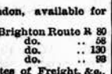

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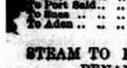

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H. WYNFORD BARROW.
Clerk, Municipal Corporation, & Secretary, Town Council.
Bombay, Municipal Offices, 7th December, 1881.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERSHIP heretofore carried on by us, the undersigned, in the city of Bombay under the name of PURSHOTUM ODHOWJEE & Co., under an agreement of partnership, has been DISSOLVED from THIS DAY by mutual consent, and the said PURSHOTUM ODHOWJEE has from THIS DAY COMMENCED BUSINESS on his own account and responsibility under the said name of PURSHOTUM ODHOWJEE & Co.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1881.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, Dec. 7.

SINCE last week there have been very few changes of moment in the state of business matters in this market. There was a good deal of excitement in the Cotton market for two days, owing to the advices from Liverpool, giving large sale and advancing prices. Prices here advanced two to thr rupees per candy for all classes of Cotton, but wit the quieter advices from home, the most of the advanced has now been lost.

Our principal exports are still Seeds and Wheat and the Oomra Cotton does not as yet come forward very freely. Money may be said to be unaltered, with rates of discount however firm. The returns of the Bank of Bombay show very little change. There is a decrease in the Private Deposits of about 8 lacs, which shows the public are making more use of their money, but this is made up for by an increase of almost a similar amount in Public Deposits, so that the resources of the Bank remain much the same. In Calcutta, however, during the week the Bank rate has been advanced 1 per cent., and that has tended to keep rates here very firm.

In Government Paper a considerable business was done during the week. In the earlier part of it at 101¼ to 101⅛ for 4 per cent., and 110⅜ to ⅜ for 4½ per cent. The raising of the Bank rate in Calcutta had a depressing effect there, and advices from home also showing a decline we fell to 101⅛ for 4 per cent., 110⅛ for 4½.

The Share market generally was fairly active for some days after last mail left. A large business was done in mill and cotton press shares, and a pretty general slight allowance took place, in some case amounting to 15 to 30 per share. Latterly, however, the market has been quieter, and mill shares especially have lost most of their advance. Many of the best of these concerns now stand at a high premium, which is no doubt justified not only by the large profits of the past year or eighteen months, but in many cases by substantial reserves. At the same time many things point at least to the past great prosperity being by no means so certain in the future. A good many new mills not only in Bombay, but all over the country are not only prospected, but will soon be in active operation, and many of the old mills also have added considerably to their powers of production. This, when Cotton tends apparently to get dearer, and Yarns are already depressed and heavy in stock in the China and Japan markets, makes the public cautious about investing freely in the old mills at present high prices.

In Miscellaneous shares not much change has taken place, except in Burmah-Trading, which have advanced to Rs. 2,475. This is an advance of Rs. 75 on our last week's quotations.

EXCHANGE closes firm at an advance of about 1-16 all round on last mail's quotations. A good business has been done, both for present and forward delivery, and the quoted rates are either for delivery now or for the next three or four months. The steadiness of exchange since the panic, which immediately followed the termination of the Paris Conference, has been an agreeable experience, if not surprise, to all engaged in the Indian trade, and there is no doubt we owe much of it to the good judgment with which the Home Government have managed their drawings. When rates fell in the panic to 1s. 7 7-16d. had Government gone on drawing as they did three years ago, we must have gone much lower. But the courage and decision of the Government in refusing to sell very soon restored confidence, and a steady recovery at once set in. Three years ago, when the Secretary of State was asked in Parliament why he went on drawing at the ruinously low rates, he had to admit, that he was so hard up that he was obliged to draw to "pay his way." This experience apparently showed the Government the advantage of working with reserves, and a wiser policy has since regulated their action. On the 31st March, 1880, the Home Government held in reserve more than £2,000,000, and this had been increased on the 31st March, 1881, to more than £4,000,000. No doubt some of this has been lost since, but they will, it is to be hoped, recoup themselves during the Indian shipping season, and be able again to resist any attempt to "hammer" Exchange when the slack season comes round again.

PIECE-GOODS are really practically unchanged. The off-take from the bazaar has been on a fair scale, but it has not been sufficient to give any indication of an advance in prices, which, however, on the whole are fairly steady. The prosperity of the country and the accounts of the crops from all parts are as favourable as ever. But the fact is that our prosperity and prospects have, as usual, been over-discounted. Supplies are in excess even of a good demand, and the consequence is as usual disappointment, if not loss, all round. A very moderate business has only been done to arrive or on indent, owing to the high prices current in England. Low freights, however, and high exchange occasionally allow business to be put through, and dealers are more disposed to operate in known makes for future delivery, when they hope their hands may be less full of stock than they are at present.

TWIST.—Our remarks on Piece-Goods apply equally well to Yarns, and we need not repeat them.

COUNTRY TWIST is dull. Stocks here are said not to be excessive, but they are heavy in China and Japan, which is now one of their great outlets. We hear of a sale of 500 bales 20s of a favourite stamp at As. 7 per lb, and about the same amount of another mill's production at As. 6⅞ and As. 6 15-16.

METALS are more active. The demand is still supplied by the dealers at rates below what they can be imported at, and it is understood that they have still considerable stocks to go on with bought at prices on which present quotations gave them a fair profit. Copper has advanced to Rs. 49-12 with a good demand, but *Yellow Metal* is unaltered.

COTTON.—A few days ago under the influence of the encouraging advices from England advanced two to four rupees per candy for all sorts. There was a good demand on the part of shipping houses, and the business was only limited by the extreme firmness of holders. During the last two days, however, a complete change has come over the market, and all the life has gone out of it. Last night's telegrams from Liverpool quoted the market "dull," sales only 7,000 bales, and Americans 1-16 lower, so that to-day we are very flat, and at least all the advance has been lost.

Oomras are coming in more freely, but not in such quantities as was expected, and the clearances of the week amount to 18,000 bales, all kinds.

We now quote as follows :—

New Cotton, Fully Good Fair Oomras, Dec.-Jan.....	Rs. 198
Good do. do. do.	„ 208
New Cotton, Good Broach, March	„ 200
New Bhownuggar, Good, April delivery	„ 197
Do. Fine, March	„ 213

Bengals are coming forward in fair quantities, and we now quote for them as follows :—

Good Fair Bengals, December-January	Rs. 160
Fully do. do. do.	„ 166-67
Good do. do. do.	„ 173 74
Fully do. do. do.	„ 179
Fine do. do. do.	„ 190-9

During the week, however, business was done at two to four rupees above those quotations, and considerable sales were made of "Good Broach" at Rs. 233 to Rs. 234 per candy.

WHEAT still continues to arrive in large quantities. The arrivals for the week gave about 307,000 cwt., or say 15,000 tons, and the shipments are almost the same, say about 293,000 cwt. or 14,600 tons. Most of it has come to old orders, and though prices are lower at home, our prices are very little changed.

LINSEED.—The arrivals for the week are only about 13,000 cwts., and the shipments are not the same. We do not hear of much business doing, but prices are very weak, and, if fairly tested, would no doubt be easier.

At the usual weekly meeting of the Directors this afternoon the rate of discount was advanced by the Bank of Bombay 1 per cent., which will probably have a further depressing effect on the Stock markets generally.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS.

BANKS.

	Shares.	Am't.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash Rates.
INDIAN BANKS.		Rs.	Rs.	Rp. ct.	₹
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	500	18 p.ct.	7483
Bank of Bengal	42,000	500	all	8 do.	825
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	8 do.	700
EXCHANGE BANKS.		£	£		
Agra Bank	100,000	10	all	3 do.	130
National Bank of India	37,200	25	12½	2½ do.	103

PRESS COMPANIES.

Akbar Cotton	150	5,000	2,850	50	900
Albert Ginning Co.....	100	500	all	18p.ct.	
Albert Press Co., Kurrachee	200	2,000	1,100	Rs. 70	450 990
Apollo Press Co. (small shares)	750	2,400	2,300	40	455
Bellary	625	1,000	1 000	25 p.s.	500
Berar Cotton Ginning and Press Co.....	600	500	all	Rs. 37½	440
Broach Cotton Ginning and Press Co...	1,400	250	all	10	50
Colabra Press Co	500	1,880	1,880	50	930
Dhulias Press and Ginning Co	500	300	all	30	210
East India Press Co ..	700	1,000	1,000	50	1,175
Fort Press Co	150	5,000	300	p.s.	2,275
French Press Co	300	500	all	45 p.s.	465
Hind Press Co	400	2,000	750	Rs. 35	445
Mofussil Co	3,125	400	400	to p.s.	320
New Indian Press	2,400	125	125	Rs. 15	187½
Prince of Wales Press & Punjaub Cotton Press Co	120	.....	1,500	235	1,425
	100	1,000	750	Rs. 80	1,050
Samoon Press Co	300	500	500	25	470
Volkart's Press Co....	450	1,000	all	56	970

LAND COMPANIES.

Byree Land	7,500	150	150	100	*13
Managua Land, &c.....	1,750	2,000	2,000	..	21
New Colaba Co.	4,000	3,000	2,925	Rs. 60	903
Port Canning Co.	6,000	1,400	1,400	Rs. 5	215xd

* For distribution.

RAILWAY COMPANIES.

G. I. P. Railway Consolidated Stock	..	£20	218-3-0	5 p. ct	215
Do. New £20 shares.	..	£20	13-14-6	do	26
Ditto	..	£20	65-7-3	do	72
Ditto	..	£20	21-13-1	do	23
B. B. & C. I. Ry. Co.	..	£100	1.000	do	1,040
Do. New 4% harve.	..	£10	196-4-15	do	215

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad S. & W. Company	600	1,000	500	90	1,425
Parell S. & W. Co. Ld.	2,500	400	400	50	370
Anglo-Indian S. & W. Company	30,000	1,000	100	Rs. 10	140
Alfred Manufacturing Company	1,000	1,700	500	35 p. s.	655
Alliance Cotton & Silk Manufg. Co., Ld. ..	1,800	1,000	..	Rs. 50	900
Bhowanuggar Mills ..	300	2,000	2,000	100	900
Bombay United	900	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	950
Central India S. & W. Company	2,500	500	500	Rs. 45	785
Cooria Mills	800	50	1,000	50	935
D. Spinning	3,008	2,000	all	nil	685
Empress S. & W. Co..	735	500	all	Rs. 73-8	695
Ditto (New issue) ..	400	500	150	..	450
Golam Baba S. Co....	1,000	500	400	20	555
Hindustan	1,200	1,000	1,000	Rs. 60	1,000
Hydrabad Spinning Company	700	1,000	1,000	70 p. s.	1,120
Jafer Ali Spinning Company	600	500	500	50	690
Jewraj Bhalloo	1,000	1,000	1,000	70 p. s.	1,119
Jhandwala	750	1,000	1,000	30	980
Khatao Mackunjee ..	1,000	1,000	1,000	70 p. s.	1,010
Madras United	350	1,000	1,000	100 p.s.	1,925
Mahalukshmi	650	1,000	500	Rs. 40	520
Manockjee Petit's	2,500	1,000	all	Rs. 90	1,405
Mazagon Spinning Co.	5,000	250	250	15 p. s.	2424
Moraji Sewdas	1,050	1,000	1,000	Rs. 80	1,220
National Spinning....	500	1,000	1,000	Rs. 70	925
New Great Eastern ..	1,400	1,000	1,000	70 p. s.	1,050
Oriental	4,000	625	625	Rs. 55	775
Prince of Wales Spinning Company..	1,500	500	500	35	370
Sassoon S. & W. Co...	1,500	1,000	1,000	65	1,450
Sholapore Mills	500	1,000	1,000	50 p. s.	1,105
Soonderdas	750	1,000	1,000	50	1,000
Southern India	500	500	Rs. 30	55	615
Victoria Mills	550	1,000	1,000	60	960
Western India S. & M. Company	1,200	1,000	200	Rs. 50	720

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bombay Saw Mills	100	1,000	1,000	100	500
Bombay Ice Manufacturing Co., Limited.	1,250	100	100	7 p.c	160x. 150x.
Bombay Burmah Trading Corporation.	1,000	2,500	1,500	225	2,475
Indian Guarantee Surety ship Association	5,000	100	10	10 p.ct.	10
Kurrachee Ice Co., Ld.	1,400	100	100	..	115
Kurrachee Landing and Shipping Co. ..	500	500	300	90	350
Mechanics' Building Co.	4,000	50	50	3 p.ct	17
Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Company..	5,000	200	50	5 p.ct.	50
Oriental Loan Association	5,000	20	20	10 p.ct.	20
Prince of Wales Fire Insurance	250	1,000	1,000	Rs. 100	1,025 nil
Ripon Gold Mining Co., Ld.	30,000 A	10	31	..	24
Do.	1,000 B	100	100	..	118
Treacher & Company..	2,000	500	all	Rs. 90	890
Thacker & Company..	1,000	100	100	15	175 nl.
Wynaad Gold Mining Co. Ld.	20,000	25	15	..	10 nl.
Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Mining Co. Limited..	42,000		25	..	14

PRICES OF BULLION, &c.

Sovereigns, each	Rs. 12-2-6
Carolas	„ 236
Mexican Dollars	„ 224
Five-Franc Pieces	„ 231
Bar Silver, 17 to 17½ betterness	„ 107
Gold Leaf	„ 19-9
Bar Gold, 10 oz. English, 100 touch	„ 19-6-9
Australian Gold, 100 touch	„ 19-6
Bombay Bar Gold 100 touch	„ 19-6
Pekin Gold Bars	„ 19-3

BOMBAY, BARODA AND CENTRAL INDIA RAILWAY.

Approximate return of Traffic for the week ending 3rd Dec. 1881.

Open, 444 miles.	Rs.	a.	p.
Coaching	67,022	0	0
Merchandise	98,244	0	0
Telegraph	582	0	0
Other Receipts	1,000	0	0
Total Rs.	1,66,848	0	0

Corresponding week in Dec. 1880.

Open, 444 miles.	Rs.	a.	p.
Coaching	54,835	0	0
Merchandise	1,00,252	0	0
Telegraph	527	0	0
Other Receipts	1,177	0	0
Total Rs.	1,56,791	0	0
Increase	10,057	0	0

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE Ship Freeman Clark, 1,336 tons, Captain J. S. Dwight, will sail to-day for Calcutta in ballast.

THE Hall Line Steamer Wistow Hall, 1,729 tons, Captain T. Collins, sailed yesterday for Liverpool, with a general cargo.

THE Clan Line Steamer Clan Murray, 1,372 tons, Captain R. C. Watson, sailed yesterday for Kurrachee, with a general cargo.

THE A. H. Lloyd Co.'s Steamer Calipso, 1,232 tons, Captain F. Bellavitta, will sail to-day for Trieste, &c., with a general cargo.

THE B. I. N. S. Co.'s Steamer Colaba, 1,115 tons, Captain R. Henderson, arrived in harbour yesterday from Moulmein (25th Nov.), with a cargo of timber.

THE P. and O. Co.'s Steamer China, 1,637 tons, Captain S. F. Cole arrived in harbour yesterday from Jeddah (21st Nov.), via Aden and Hoodooda, with a general cargo and 325 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s Steamer Burmah, 675 tons, Captain T. P. Nailer, sailed yesterday for Persian Gulf via Kurrachee with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Brig. Surg. G. L. Hinde, Mrs. A. O. Hundal and infant, Mr. Murray, one Inspector, 1 Apothecary, and 38 deck.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s Steamer Kerbella, 1501 tons, Captain F. Wilson, sailed yesterday from Coast and Calcutta, with a general cargo, and the following passengers :—Mr. H. Krafft, Mr. E. H. Krafft, Mr. C. Kiseler, Mr. L. Borchard, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, Mr. A. Cumming, Mr. Harrison, Mr. Damodhur Mahadew, and 27 deck.

THE Steamer Pehlwan, 101 tons, Nacoda, sailed yesterday for Kattywar, with a general cargo and 50 deck passengers.

ARRIVALS.

Dec.	Vessels.	Commander	From.
7	China (s).....	Cole	Jeddah, Nov. 21.
	Colaba(s)	Henderson..	Moulmein, Nov. 25.
	Mongolia (s)	Thomson....	Trieste, Nov. 8.
	Peeress	Short	Rangoon.

DEPARTURES.

Dec.	Vessels.	Commander	Destinations.
7	Hispania (s)	Laird	Kurrachee.
	William Douglas..	Douglas	Calcutta.
	Burmah (s).....	Nailer	Persian Gulf.
	Kerbella(s).....	Wilson.....	Calcutta.
	Pehlwan (s)	Nacoda	Kathiawar.
	Clan Murray (s) ..	Watson	Kurrachee.
	Wistow Hall (s) ..	Collins	Liverpool.

The following vessels obtained their port clearance yesterday :—

Steamer Calipso, Bellavitt, to Trieste, &c.

Ship Freeman Clark, Dwight, to Calcutta.

The steamer Calcutta, to Kathiawar, Coast and Kurrachee, was entered for loading yesterday.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.

Nov.		
2	Cyenus (s)	Penney .... Marseilles, Oct. 28.
	Gloucester(s).....	Peters ..... Cardiff, Oct. 26.
	Arratoon Apcar ...	Mactavish .. Hong-Kong, Nov. 17.
	Australia (s)	Alderton ..... London, Oct. 26.
	Sucz (s).....	Dodd..... Hong-Kong, Nov. 17.
	Sophia Joakim....	Lawry ..... Mauritius, Oct. 22.
3	Guy Mannering ..	Largic ..... Cardiff, Oct. 12.
	Abana	Thomas .... Mauritius, Oct. 27.

DEPARTURES.

Dec. 2.—Steamers Dorset and Saranja.

Dec. 3.—Steamers Kilwa, Vesta, Bedford, and a steamer (numbers undistinguishable). Ships British Commodore, Zenobia, and Memmon.

VESSELS IN BOMBAY HARBOUR.*

FOR LONDON.

1506 Gulf of Finland (s), Brock.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

1432 Iris (s), Madgshon.

FOR HAVRE.

1244 Thessaly (s), Harbord.

FOR ANTWERP.

1257 Yoxford (s). Meadows.

FOR VENICE AND TRIESTE.

1515 Kashgar (s), Murray—Mails, Dec. 29.
1868 Malwa (s), Atkinson—Mails, Dec. 15.
1585 Mongolia (s), Edmond—Mails, Dec. 24.
1610 Vorwaerts (s), Marussig.

FOR MARSEILLES.

936 Black Watch (s), McPherson.
1512 Ramleh (s), Main.
962 Royal Welsh (s), Pearson.
1283 Sheikh (s), Johnston.

FOR GENOA.

1440 Timor (s), Drew.

FOR CHINA.

905 Avoca (s), Hassall.
1406 Sumatra (s), Briscoe.

FOR CALCUTTA.

502 Romance, Tove.
698 Shah Jehan, Williams.

FOR BUSSORAH.

1047 King Arthur (s), Dwyer.

FOR BATAVIA.

1302 Broomhaugh (s), Anderson.

FOR BRISTOL.

1331 Galatea (s), Pearson.

FOR JEDDAH.

1404 Columbian (s), Baldwin.

FOR MOULMEIN.

943 Ztmi, Jenkins.

FOR SALE.

1060 China (s), P. and O. Co.

TELEGRAPH STEAMER.

832 Chiltern (s), Walter.

ROYAL NAVY AND MERCANTILE MARINE.

374 Abyssinia (s), 4—(Harbour Defence.)
— Czarewitch (s).
1107 Magdala (s) 4—(Harbour Defence.)
— Patrick Stewart (s), Bishop—(Telegraph Steamer.)
— Ruby (s) 12, Foote.
Coasting Steamers and Country Ships not included.

DAILY IMPORTS.—DECEMBER 7.

FROM GLASGOW.

Clan Murray (s)—47 cases whiskey, 30 cases ginger wine, and 50 cases rum, Ed. alje Bezonjee.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Sheikh (s)—7 package s glassware, Visram Allana.
Hispania (s)—100 box es bar soap, Esmailjee Curriumbhoy; 18 crates earthenware, Joseph Soares.

FROM LONDON.

Zambesi (s)—2 cases printing ink, Mahamedbhoy Esoofbhoy; 4 hogshe ds stout and 1 case medicine, C. H. B. Forbes and Co.
Surat (s)—116 P. kgs wire nails, Gholamhoosein Kikabhoy.

FROM MARSEILLES.

Surat (s)—100 barrels fresh grapes, M. Mandolfe and Co.

DAILY EXPORTS.—DECEMBER 6.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Wistow Hall (s)—30 bales wool, Govindjee Tulukchund; 29 bales wool, Mahomedbhoy Abdoola and Co.; 60 bales wool, Jeevundass Premjee; 73 bales wool, Rajabhoy Rahimbhoy; 89 bales cotton, Sir Charles Forbes and Co.; 63 bales wool, Dhunraj Chimondass; 6 bales cotton, Talookchund and Shapoorjee; 57 bales cotton, Killick, Nixon and Co.; 192 bales cotton, J. C. Bushby and Co.; 104 cwts. myrabollams, Goculdass Jaithanee; 57 cwts. myrabollams, Jaitha Purshotum; 100 bales cotton, Lang, Moir and Co.; 101 bales cotton, Mocurun Mugniram; 49 bales cotton, Valubdass Nanee; 80 bales cotton, Robertson Brothers; 110 cwts. myrabollams, Goculdass Jaithani.

Iris (s)—2,000 cwts. wheat, P. Chrystal and Co.; 8,000 cwts. wheat, Remington and Co.; 5,000 cwts. wheat, Versee Dewsee; 100 bales cotton, Nuthoobhoy Soorchund; 2,000 cwts. wheat, Madhowjee Hurdass; 800 cwts. wheat, M. Lukhamsee.

Hispania (s)—1,600 cwts. wheat, Nursee Khutow; 5,200 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers; 250 cwts coir yarn, Hajee Mitha Cassum; 1,000 cwts wheat, Rala'ee Oomajee; 800 cwts wheat, M. Lukhamsee; 340½ cwts. gingelly seed, Vurdhmon Govindjee.

FOR LONDON.

Gulf of Finland (s)—800 cwts. wheat, Mohunlall Mugunlall; 1½ cwts. fishmaw, Ludhabhoy Tarmahamed; 2 cases ?. shells, 183 cwts. fishmaws, 10 bales woolen and cotton, carpets and 1 bale hides, Datardina Mowjee; 14 bales skins, Mahamedbhoy Abdoola and Co; 18 bales hides, Rahimbhoy Rusoolbhoy; 25 bales hides, Dawoodbhoy Hassom; 29 cases tea, David Sassoon and Co; 190 cwts. coin yarn Moolchund Namidass; 2,000 cwts. wheat, Dewjee Bhanjee; 100 bales cotton, A. Blaschéck and Co; 200 bales cotton, Killick, Nixon, and Co.

Ravenna (s)—120 cwts olibanum, 135 cwts gum, and 363 cwts. fishmaws, Ludbabhoy Chattoo; 78 bags coffee 92 bales coir yarn, 14 cases cardamonds, 570 bales cotton, 6 bales native cloth, 20 bales senna, 100 bales rope yarn, and 75 bales coir fibre, The P. and O. Co; 12 bales bides and 25 cwts horns, Mahamed Carjee.

FOR TRIESTE.

Malwa (s)—150 bales cotton, Sigg Sulzier and Co.
Calipso (s)—40 cwts gum olibanum, L. Singer and Co.
Varwaets (s)—200 cwts wheat, Volkart Brothers; 400 bales cotton, E. Spinner and Co.,

FOR PARAENS.

Vorwaerts (s)—40 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers.

FOR VENICE.

Calipso (s)—100 bales cotton, Lyon and Co; 50 bales cotton, Peel, Cassels and Co.
Vorwaerts (s)—100 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers: 300 bales cotton, Olcese and Co.

FOR HAVRE.

Thessaly (s)—35 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers.

FOR BEILLES.

Royal Welch (s)—65 cwts. horns, L. Singer and Co.

FOR GENOA.

Timor (s)—590 bags coffee, and 95 bales hides, the A. H. Lloyd and Co; 10,998 cwts. gingellyseed, Peel, Cassels and Co.

FOR ANTWERP.

Yoxford (s)—2,752 cwts wheat, 2,001 cwts rapeseed and 100 bales cotton, Killick, Nixon and Co.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Kerbella (s)—112 bales cotton, Ramgopall Foolchund.

DECEMBER 7.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Wistow Hall (s)—225 cwts myrabolams, Jaitha Purshotum; 100 bales cotton, Thomas H. Moore and Co; 25 bales cotton, Peliy and Co; 3 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers; 120 cwts coir yarn, Tejsee Assoo.

Iris (s)—600 cwts wheat, Shewjee Kurumsee; 800 cwts wheat, Dewjee Javee; 100 bales cotton, J. C. Bushby and Co; 192 bales cotton, Govindram Dwarkadass; 200 bales cotton, Goculdass Callianjee; 800 cwts wheat, M. R Lukumsee; 800 cwts wheat, Comersee Koorpa; 800 cwts wheat, 342½ cwts, gingelly seed, Vurdhmon Govindjee; 101 bales cotton, Killick, Nixon and Co.

FOR LONDON.

Gulf of Findland (s)—5,932 cwts wheat, Killick, Nixon and Co; 27 cwts, m.-o'-p. shells, Vasondass Purushram; 1451 cwts fishmaws, Dawoodbhoy Hassom; 11 bales hides, Heerjeebhoy Jumail; 200 bales cotton, Thomas H. Moore and Co; 22 cwts indigo, Nundram Begraj; 79 bales cotton, Lyon Nathan and Co; 200 bales cotton, Thomas H. Moore and Co.

Ravenna (s)—23 cwts horns, Rahimbhoy Curim; 33½ cwts ivory, Jairambhoy Peerbhoy; 14½ cwts ivory, Marcally Soomar; 6¼ cwts ivory, Abdoolreman Ahmed; 13 cwts ivory, Raphael and Co; 5½ cwts ivory, Abdoola Saccorbhoy; 14 cwts ivory; Mugniall Purbhoodass; 71 cwts ivory, Goolam Hoosein Jan Mahomed; 7 cwts ivory Currimbhoy Alloobhoy; 11 cwts ivory, Shurriff Durvesh.

FOR HULL.

Shikh (s)—6,800 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers.

FOR HAVRE.

Thessaly (s)—10 bales cotton, W. M. Macaulay and Co.

FOR ANTWERP.

Yoxford (s)—10,000 cwts wheat, and 2,001 cwts rapeseed, Killick, Nixon and Co.

FOR GENOA.

Timor (s)—9,491 cwts gingelly, and 2,956 cwts wheat, Lang, Moir and Co; 16 bales skins, Abdoolremon Ahmed.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Ramleh (s)—16 cwts mowraflower, Ralli Brothers.

FOR TRIESTE.

Vorwaerts (s)—100 bales cotton, F. Sauquet and Co; 40 cwts olibanum, L. Singer and Co; 100 bales cotton, Geo. Lockhart and Co; 125 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers.

Calipso (s)—100 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Vorwaerts (s)—75 bales cotton, Geo. Lockhart and Co.
Calipso (s)—900 cwts casterseed, Volkart Brothers; 100 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.
Malwa (s)—486 bales cotton, Moir and Co.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Kerbela (s)—100 bales cotton, W. and A. Graham and Co.

HIGH COURT.—DECEMBER 8.

(Before the Hon'ble Sir CHARLES SARGENT.)

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

LONG CAUSES.

62-80—Tobin and R.—Lulloobhoy Pranvulubdass vs Bhoodandass Bhoodandass and another—Tyabjee and D.—Part heard.
450-79—Craigie, L. and O.—C. A. Turner vs Kessowjee Naik—Hearn, C. and L.—Part heard.
403-81—Payne and G.—Toolsa Nathayjee vs Moroba Govindjee and another—Part heard.
563-80—Smith and F.—L. A. Wallace and another vs Ahmed bin Essa Khalifa—J. Macfarlane.
208-81—In person—Cullian Govind vs Ramchundra Sewjee and others—In person.
48-81—Jefferson, B. and D.—Amioodin Abdool Latiff vs Hawabbee and others—M. M. Munshi.
471-80—M. M. Munshi—Ramjee Ballajee vs Thucker Purshotum Cullianjee—H. Bicknell.

For investigation under Sec. 408 of Act X of 1877.

660-77—In person—Bai Lukhmibai vs Sha Moolchund Khoosaldas and another—Madhowdas Ghella—Claimant.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice WEST.)

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

LONG CAUSES.

251-80—H. Bicknell—Thucker Purshotum Kullianjee vs Ramjee Ballajee and another—M. M. Munshi—Part heard.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—DECEMBER 5.

Stopford, Captain, Asst. Qr.-mr. Genl., on duty, from Poona.

DECEMBER 6.

Deam-Pitt, Captain, Dy. Asst. Qr.-mr. Genl., on duty, from Ahmedabad.
Fullerton, Lieut., R. E., on leave, from Kirkee.

DECEMBER 7.

Ross, Lieut.-Col., 1st Sikh Infantry, on leave, from Abbottabad.
Peters, Major, 13th Hussars, on leave, from Meerut.
Strong, Lieut.-Col., 20th Bombay N. I., on duty, from England.
DePree, Lieut.-Col., Staff Corps, on leave, from Simla.
Hay, Col., Staff Corps, from leave, from England.

DEPARTURES.—DECEMBER 4.

Mathias, Col., Staff Corps, from leave, to Nagpore.

DECEMBER 6.

Edge, Surg. Major, on duty, to Poona.
Stopford, Captain, on duty, to Ahmedabad.

DECEMBER 7.

Robinson, Surg., on duty, to Secundrabad.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

BY LT.-COL. COMDT. W. S. HEWETT, B. V. R. C.

Bombay, December 7.

There will be parade under the Commandant on Saturday next, the 10th inst., at the Town Hall at 5 p. m. (Madras time.) Skirmishing and the attack formation will be practiced; 10 rounds of blank ammunition to be removed from the pouches before coming on parade. Tram-cars will start from Byculla and Girgaum at 4-15 p. m. (Madras time), and will carry all Volunteers in uniform free of charge. These cars will be for Volunteers only.

Quartermaster Soundy having returned from leave, will assume charge of the Quartermaster office from Qr.-mr. Sergt. Easton from this date.

The following members having left Bombay are struck off the strength of the Corps from this date :—Vol. P. Klinglehoefer and Vol. J. Stiven, A company.

By order,
A. W. PROUDFOOT,
Capt. and Adjt., B. V. R. C.

NOTICE.

LETTERS, PARCELS, & TELEGRAMS for HIS EXCELLENCY the GOVERNOR and the PRIVATE SECRETARY which cannot be delivered at BELLA VISTA, MAHABLESHWUR, by noon on THURSDAY, the 8th Instant, should be addressed to Government House, Parel, Bombay, until further notice.

G. H. R. HART,
Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor of Bombay.
Bella Vista, Mahableshwur, 4th Decr., 1881.

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TELEGRAMS.

BAR SILVER AND EXCHANGE.

LATEST LONDON QUOTATIONS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 7, 4-45 P. M.

At the weekly biddings for Council drafts upon India this afternoon tenders at 1s. 7 15-16d. received 71 per cent., all above that in full.

It is notified that the amount of Council drafts to be offered next week is 45 lakhs.

Bar Silver closed at 52d. per ounce ; market weak.

Four per cent. Rupee paper, 84 ; Four-and-a-half ditto, 91.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

(By Red Sea Cable.)

THE AMERICAN CONGRESS.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR'S INAUGURAL MESSAGE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.

President Arthur, in his inaugural message to Congress on assuming office, says that the exchange of views at the late Metallic Conference in Paris had proved valuable, and that the meetings of the delegates will be resumed there within the next half-year.

Regarding the Panama Canal question, the President says it is one of grave national importance, and that it has been proposed to England to modify the Clayton-Bulwer Treaty, and to abrogate those clauses which are incompatible with America's obligation to Colombia.

With respect to the United States forces, the President advises an increase in the Army of 5,000 men, and regards the reorganization of the Navy as imperative.

THE STATEMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

The Secretary of the Treasury, in his annual statement, urges, in view of the conflicting opinions in Europe respecting bi-metallic currency, the suspension for the present of the coinage of silver dollars. The silver question, he says, demands the early attention of the Congress.

The Secretary proposes a revision of the tariff and a remission of taxation.

THE INCOMING MAIL.

ADEN, Dec. 7.

The P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Kaiser-i-Hind, with the outward English mails of the 25th ultimo, left here for Bombay at 3 o'clock this morning.

LONDON, Dec. 6.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed dull. Surats steady.

The London Cotton market has been quiet.

Fair Dhollera	4 11-16
The Manchester Market has been quiet but firm.	
7 lbs. Shirtings	6
32 do.	6½
40's Mule Twist	0-10¼
3½ per cent. Sterling Loan	101¼
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	84¼
5 ,,	91
5 per cent. Consols for account	100⅛
5 ,, French Rentes	115½
Bar Silver	51 15-16

Arrival—St. Dunstan.

Departures—Brenda, Llanarthen, and Scots Greys.

TELEGRAPHIC LINE REPORT.

(DECEMBER 7.)

STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.

GREAT BRITAIN.—*Via* Teheran, perfect to Berlin. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

CONSTANTINOPLE.—*Via* Teheran, perfect to Berlin. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

AMERICA.—*Via* Brest, perfect. *Via* Valentia, perfect. *Via* Direct Cable, perfect.

AUSTRALIA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, Perfect.

CHINA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, Perfect.

Kurrachee, December 4, 8-21 p. m.—Teheran route right through to Berlin. The two Anglo-German cables from Borkum and Nordeney are interrupted.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

TUESDAY, NIGHT, DECEMBER 6.
(Madras time.)

At 10 p.m. ... ... 72·4 Fahr.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7.

At 6 a.m.	70·0
,, 10 a.m.	78·3
,, 2 p.m.	84·7
,, 4 p.m.	83·5

In continuation of the notification published yesterday regarding the levée to be held by His Excellency the Governor at the New Secretariat, Bombay, on Wednesday, the 14th instant, it is notified as follows :—Gentlemen entitled to robes on account of judicial or academical office, clergymen being University graduates, &c., should appear in their official or academical robes.

The Bank of Bombay's rates of interest and discount were raised one per cent. all round yesterday.

It is reported that Captain Perry, aide-de-camp to the Viceroy, is very dangerously ill of typhoid fever at Agra.

During the first seven months of the current financial year the net Indian sea and land customs revenue, exclusive of the salt revenue, has amounted to Rs. 1,27,43,000, as compared with Rs. 1,26,97,000 during the corresponding period of last year.

On the return of Sir S. Bayley from furlough, Mr. W. B. Jones, Commissioner of the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, is going on leave for a month.

Colonel C. S. Lane, of the Commissariat Department, is stated to have withdrawn his application to retire from the service.

The Lahore paper hears from Peshawar that the 13th Bengal Lancers, who were about to commence their relief march, have been ordered to stand fast until relieved by the 9th Bengal Cavalry.

Lord and Lady Lawrence are expected to pay a short visit to the Pattiala State between the 14th and 17th instant, and to Kashmere between the 19th and 21st idem.

Regarding recent fatal riding accidents, the *Pioneer* notes that "Captain Rivett-Carnac was noted as an excellent rider, and it may be taken for granted that the accident was not brought about by any fault of his. While on this painful subject, it may be mentioned that the death of Lieutenant Waud, of the King's Dragoon Guards, at Agra, last month, was not due, as was reported, to a polo accident, although we believe that polo was being played close by at the time, but to a greyhound running between his horse's legs ; the animal falling throughout his rider, who was killed on the spot.

On the return from furlough of Colonel Powlett, of the Rajputana Agency, about the 15th instant, Colonel Tweedie, C.S.I., will, it is stated, make over charge to him of the Western Rajputana States, and will himself proceed to Gwalior, thus enabling Colonel Watson, V.C., to be present at Baroda during the installation of the Gaekwar at Christmas, and to relieve Mr. Melville on January 1.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Morton, of the Royal Warwickshire Regiment (late 6th Foot), who is expected out to join the 2nd Battalion of his regiment, now marching from Cawnpore to Calcutta, will probably, the *Pioneer* states, be brought upon the strength of the Adjutant-General's Department. Colonel Morton was Assistant Adjutant General to Sir Frederick Roberts in Kabul, and shared in the march to Kandahar.

The *Pioneer's* Quetta correspondent telegraphed on the 5th Dec. :—All is quiet in Kandahar. The Amir's departure has caused no excitement or disturbance. The day before he left the Amir summoned the Durani Khans and the chief men of the city to the Huzuree shrine outside the walls, and in an address told them that he had forgiven them their past offences, and would treat them with kindness and consideration for the future. This is no doubt his honest intention, but nevertheless he has not yet been able to conciliate the Duranis or to attach to his side many of the leading Kandahar Sirdars, some of whom—that is, Sirdars Gul Mahomed Khan and Ghulam Mohiuddin Khan—he is taking with him to Kabul as hostages, while others, such as Sirdars Sher Mahomed and Ghulam Mahomed Khan, the brother and cousin of the Wali, he is deporting to India ; the latter Sirdars have already reached Chaman. It is not known yet how the quarrel between Abdul Kudus Khan and Mahomed Yusuf Khan has been settled, and to complicate matters there is a rumour that Sirdar Mahomed Ishak Khan of Turkistan wishes to appoint his brother, Mohsin Khan, as Governor of Herat. There is also a report that Asmatulla Khan, Ghilzai, and the Kohistanis, are discontented and rebellious ; and though these reports require confirmation, it is clear the Amir has still many difficulties to contend with and overcome before his position is assured.

In considering any questions connected with the income-tax, the *Pioneer* suggests, Government should be exceedingly careful about accepting official reports *au pied de la lettre*. No more misleading documents are ever published in this country than the various local reports on the working of the income-tax or the license-tax. Local officers will not report against the established policy of Government—or, any rate, it is only here and there that you will find one ready to do so. Nor, even if the present Government is willing to intelligent remonstrance from its subordinates,—which we do not for a moment affirm it to be, for very few Governments are so,—would that be a sufficient reason for trusting local reports of the kind now referred to ? It is generally believed that Mr. John Inglis was seriously impeded in his career in this country, by the fact that he spoke out about the income-tax, and protested against it as an iniquity. He was fiercely called to account by the Government of the time, and if he had not been able to prove all his allegations fully and undeniably, he would have come to official grief, no doubt. As it was, he fell into disfavour—at any rate he himself declared to the last day of his service in India that he had personally been made to suffer for his stand against the income-tax. He may have been mistaken, but other men look upon his example as a warning, and officers who know direct assessments of almost any sort to be a mere system of robbery will feel bound to write about them every year, while they still have to be imposed, in grave and decorous language which entirely veils the real state of the facts.

The *Times* correspondent telegraphed from Sibi on November 13 :—General Hume and Colonel St. John have arrived here, having marched together down the Hurnai road. They have settled to concentrate the troops on this line at Kach and Sharingh, giving up Hurnai and one or two minor stations, which will be held by local levies. Although this road is 50 miles longer than that by the Bolan, merchants, and particularly the Afghans, are beginning to use it in preference. It is as safe ; provision and forage are more plentiful ; and being in British territory, is free from the vexatious dues imposed by the Belochis. So much of the railway line to Sharingh, 70 miles from Quetta, has been done that it seems a pity not to complete it so far and thus render the retention of the Bolan, with its floods, customs dues, and blackmail to robber tribes, unnecessary.

A Vienna telegram states that, according to news from Tehran, Ayoub Khan, who since his defeat has been living in retirement at Farzistan, is beginning to show symptoms of insanity.

Sir Richard Temple attended a meeting recently at Liverpool, in support of the Christian Vernacular Education Society for India, and stated that there were 400,000 native Christians in India, 200,000 boys and girls in the mission schools, and two milions of children altogether under education in the country. The ratio of increase was 50 per cent. in a decade of years, and a great and good work was being done by the training of teachers, and the diffusion of wholesome literature in the vernacular.

Regarding Mr. Walter J. Sendall, about whose appointment to the Lieutenant-Governorship of Natal there was such an outcry that the Government have been obliged to cancel it, a London paper says he was educated at Christ's College, Cambridge, where he was first-class in classics, and also took mathematical honours, graduated B. A. in 1858, and M. A. in 1867. In November, 1859, he was appointed assistant master in Queen's College, Colombo, and became inspector of schools in Ceylon in September, 1862. As Lieutenant-Governor of Natal, he would have received a salary of £2,500 per annum.

A home paper states that the adulteration of cotton continues to engross considerable attention in Oldham, and information is being collected on the subject for the American authorities. A limited company which has had a considerable consignment of American cotton determined to test how far damp had been employed in adulteration, and it was found that on being dried the cotton lost in weight 7 per cent.

On the morning of November 18 the Duke of Cambridge and a distinguished company were present at the ceremony of depositing the old Waterloo colours of the 2nd Battalion of Grenadier Guards in the chapel of Wellington Barracks, which is filled with interesting trophies and memorials of the gallant Brigade of Guards. These old colours have been for many years in the possession of Sir Henry Askew, nephew of the lieutenant-colonel who led the 2nd Battalion through the Waterloo campaign, and who was wounded at Quatre Bras. This gentleman having presented them to the regiment of Grenadier Guards, they were on the date mentioned solemnly "trooped" and deposited in their final resting place.

The *Daily News* learned that Chief John Dunn had given formal notice to the British authorities in South Africa that he was a candidate for the vacant throne in Zululand. The candidature has been successful, as the telegram from our London correspondent proved.

The *Athenæum* regrets to hear of the serious indisposition of Mr. Henry W. Longfellow.

A large part of the capital required to start a Conservative evening paper in London has been obtained, and this addition to the evening press will begin publication at the beginning of next year.

Mr. Gladstone's secretary, writing to a Manchester gentleman in reply to an inquiry whether there was any truth in the report recently circulated that he was about to take the title of Earl of Liverpool, says he is directed by Mr. Gladstone to say that there is no truth in the statement that he is about to be raised to the peerage.

Truth cannot believe that if Mr. Gladstone ever did go up to the Lords, he would choose the title so kindly selected for him by the eager *Morning Post*. "The Earldom of Liverpool is associated with the darkest days of the most stupid and mischievous Toryism."

On Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone arriving at Chester on Nov. 15 from Downing-street, a large crowd cheered the Premier, among the most enthusiastic in this respect being a group of Irish cattle-dealers, one of whom inquired, "Is that the man who gave us the Land Bill ?" Mr. Gladstone was followed across to Hawarden in a hansom by Deputy Chief Constable Adams, of the Flintshire Constabulary, and a police-constable.

The Earl of Kimberley, it is stated, has given permission to Cetewayo, ex-King of Zululand, to visit England, and has suggested that the month of April would in point of climate be the most suitable period of the year for him to make the voyage. Cetewayo himself is said to be anxious to undertake the journey as soon as possible.

One of the Russian officers on board the ironclad Peter the Great, lying at Glasgow, has been paying a visit along the coast of Ireland, doubtless with the object of acquiring that information which would be valuable to Russian cruiser officers if their country went to war with England and endeavoured to stimulate an Irish rising—an idea which has been often favoured by Russian political writers. The officer in question, Sub-Lieut. Zimmerman, has reserved his report specially for his Government.

As the bust of the Duke of Cambridge that adorned the Army and Navy Club was a harmony in red clay, purchased fifty years ago for about a sovereign, its loss to the club, says *Truth*, is not great. A bust of Nelson, in white marble, now adorns the pedestal on which it stood. A story runs that, when the red clay bust was found to be broken, all the servants of the club were summoned and asked what they knew about the accident. One of the page-boys said that when he left the hall, a little before the accident, the bust was intact. "Who was there when you left ?" he was asked. "Sir Garnet Wolseley," he replied.

The *Athenæum* :—More than a year ago the *Bombay Review* informed its readers that a Gujarati translation of Prof. Max Müller's Hibbert Lectures "On the Origin and Growth of Religion in India" had been undertaken by Mr. Behramji M. Malabari. Mr. Malabari is well known in India as a poet, and is perhaps at present the best prose writer in Gujarati. He was a pupil of the late Dr. Wilson, and has published a life of that learned missionary. Mr. Malabari's Gujarati translation of the Hibbert Lectures is now ready, but, not satisfied with placing Prof. Max Müller's views of the history of the Religion of India before the Gujarati-speaking population of India. Mr. Malabari has formed an association for publishing translations of these lectures in Marathi, Bengali, Hindi, and Telugu. The Marathi and Bengali translations are far advanced. In order to make the work accessible to those also who still shrink from books written in the vernacular dialects, and read Sanskrit only, Mr. Malabari has invited Mr. Shyamaji Krishnavarma, now at Balliol College, Oxford, to undertake the Sanskrit translation of the Hibbert Lectures. The young pandit, who speaks Sanskrit and English with equal fluency, has accepted the invitation, and is now preparing the Sanskrit translation with the assistance of Prof. Max Müller.

It is now understood on all sides, says the *Pall Mall Gazette*, that the voyage of the Inflexible to Malta has been on the whole a great success. The run from Gibraltar to Malta was made in most boisterous weather, with a strong blow from the north-west, and a swell which produced a good deal more motion than has been felt previously. For several consecutive days the steaming was over eleven and a half knots an hour, with less than 5,000 horse-power, and the officers reckon that the run from Gibraltar to Malta might have been easily made under the four days if there had been any reason for it. They believe that they could cross the Atlantic with confidence. All this is very satisfactory so far.

The iron ship British Sovereign, of Liverpool, 1292 tons register, which sailed from Dundee for San Francisco in April last, has never been heard of since, and it is feared that she has been lost, with all hands. She had a cargo of 1800 tons of Lanarkshire iron on board. She was commanded by Captain Gillison, and carried a crew of 22, of whom the greater number belonged to Dundee and district.

The *Times* describes a proposed canal by which the journey both from England and India to China would be lessened by at least 600 miles. The canal would be cut at that point where the Malayan Peninsula is narrowest ; and as the distance between the Indian Ocean and the China Seas is further lessened by natural waterways extending inland from both shores, the actual cutting would be only thirty miles long. The districts through which the canal would pass are known to be fertile and to contain great mineral wealth. The engineering difficulties are believed not to be very great. The French would be greatly benefited by the shortening of their road to Saigon and their possessions on the Cambodia ; and not only might their sympathy and co-operation be counted upon, but they appear to have even taken the initative in the matter.

There is a marked and increasing tendency in the writings and speeches of the Opposition, says the *Pall Mall Gazette*, to dwell on the merits of an out-and-out change of ownership, with compensation to present owners—buying out the landlords, in short—as compared with the scheme of the Land Act, or any possible scheme of improved conditions of tenure, not amounting to ownership. Partisans must think their old ground untenable indeed when they shift to one that exposes them to such obvious retorts. The first thought of every one who is not pledged to oppose the Government at all hazards must be to this effect : "Very well ; but in that case you complain of the Land Act for not being Radical enough. The trick of dishing the Whigs was invented by a great politician, and it was a grand trick in its day ; but it won't do again." But Ireland ought not to be left to party retorts, and I may be that the cropping up of this topic in Opposition speeches points to a serious drift of opinion. It is premature to say much on the matter now. But it is worth while to mention two facts not always realized—namely, that we have 60,000 British troops in India to a population of about 250,000,000, and 30,000 (just now more) in Ireland to a population of about 5,000,000,. And thereupon we venture to propound a question which Bishop Berkeley, if we could call him up, might possibly be persuaded to add to his "Querist,—namely : What proportion, on a just computation, doth the annual interest on the whole value of the fee simple of the kingdom of Ireland bear to the annual charge of maintaining in that kingdom half the number of British troops that are found sufficient for the government of the East Indies ?

Of M. Gambetta's cabinet, the *Daily Telegraph* says :—It is remarkable for the almost complete exclusion of the so-called Conservative Republicans, who are most conspicuous in the central ranks of both Chambers. Only two members of the late Ministry—M. Cazot and M. Cochery—retain the posts they held under M. Ferry ; while all their colleagues, except the Premier, are new to high office. M. Gambetta himself, despite his will, has been obliged to assume the direction of a department. Having been unable to secure the help of M. de Freycinet, who for some reason changed his mind at the eleventh hour, M. Gambetta has become Foreign Minister. In like manner, M. Leon Say, who, it is understood, dissents from the coming policy on financial grounds, has no place in the Government. A sturdy Gambettist, M. Allain-Targe, takes what we should call the Exchequer. M. Jules Ferry, who wished to stay, finds M. Paul Bert, a learned man, who is a zealot as well as a secularist, constituted Minister of Public Instruction. The impracticable M. Tirard, so well known in connection with the Commercial Treaty, is set aside for M. Rouvier, who passes for a staunch free trader. The very important headship of the Home Office or Interior is entrusted to M. Waldeck-Rousseau, who will have to prove his quality, which has not yet been tried by responsibility. The reputation of General Farre's successor in the War Office, General Campenon, is almost unknown outside France, and he has before him a task not the least arduous among those falling to the share of the new Government. Practically, therefore, the characteristic of the Gambetta Ministry is that it is composed of new men. The aim has been to construct a "homogeneous" Cabinet, and this has apparently been done. Nevertheless, the personages excluded have been, and may yet be, formidable, because they represent a very considerable fraction of Deputies. It is quite true that the Prime Minister is a host in himself, and that he possesses more power over the Chamber than the distinguished gentlemen who have been omitted ; and it may be that his weight, immense influence, and mastery of tactics in the higher sense, backed by devoted colleagues, will suffice to establish a strong and durable Government.

THE GOVERNOR'S NEXT LEVEE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—In the notification published regarding the levée to be held by H. E. the Governor on the 14th inst. it is stated that "gentlemen not having been already presented wishing to attend the levée are requested to send their cards to the Military Secretary at least three days before the date of the levée." Can you tell me by what means, gentlemen who have not been presented to the present Governor, or to any Governor of Bombay ?

W. A. B.

THE SON OF NUN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—Why does not Sir James Fergusson cut Joshua Joshua, and have a sun all to himself ?

ENQUIRER.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Municipal Corporation, 3 p. m.
Sale of Fancy Work, Girgaum, 10 a. m.
Divine Service, on board the Romance, 7-30 p. m.

Vessels arrived.—The following vesse's arrived yesterday :—China (s), from Jeddah ; Colaba (s), Moulmein ; Mongolia (s), Trieste ; Peeress, Rangoon.

Vessels sailed.—The following vessels sailed yesterday :—Hispania (s), to Kurrachee ; William Douglas, Calcutta ; Burmah (s), Persian Gulf ; Kerbella (s), C. and Calcutta ; Pehlwan (s), Kathiawar ; Clan Murray (s), Kurrachee ; Wistow Hall (s), Liverpool.

Sale of Fancy Work.—To-day there will be held in the hall of "The Lodge" (Major Oldham's House), Girgaum, a sale of useful articles, including children's dresses and fancy work of various kinds. Hours of attendance :—10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Bombay Tramway Company, Limited.—Winning numbers for the month of November, 1881. Prizes of Rs. 10 each, which must be claimed within current month :—

3 ans.	2 ans.	1½ an.	1 an.	¾ an.	½ an.
001014	022744	007303	018513	003296	018493
		011346	048852	025343	056524
			105746	071654	
			251385		
			289341		
			331669		

Prince's Dock.—The s. s. Thessaly entered the Dock on Tuesday ; the s. s. Malwa entered, and the Hispania left, the dock yesterday.

Theft.—Jassim Mahomed, an Arab, was yesterday convicted by Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee of stealing a silver belt and Rs. 2 in cash, of the collective value of Rs. 60, the property of Joharah, woman. He was sentenced to four months' rigorous imprisonment.

Fatal Accident.—A coroner's inquest was held yesterday at Sewree-road, on view of the body of Pandoo Bawajee, a callassie, belonging to prow No. 4105, named Sumvar. It appears the prow was hauled up on shore at the Zackria-bunder for repairs, and was lying on her starboard bilge. On the day previous deceased, with several others, was endeavouring to place the prow on an even keel. Deceased, after placing a chock under the bilge, was coming out, when the chock slipped away and the prow canted over and crushed him, causing almost instantaneous death. The verdict was that the death of the deceased was caused by injuries received by his having been accidentally jammed under the bottom of a prow.

Assault on Boardship.—Yesterday at the Fort Police Court, Thomas Blain, a seaman of the s. s. Royal Welsh, was charged before Mr. P. Ryan with assaulting Captain S. W. Purse and the chief officer of that vessel. The prisoner, it appears, created a disturbance on board on the day previous, and the third officer reprimanded him. The prisoner on this went aft and reported the third officer to the captain, who was then about to have his breakfast. The captain requested the prisoner to wait till he had time to inquire into his complaint, but the prisoner in a commanding tone insisted that his accounts should be settled at once, and also claimed his discharge. The captain declined to discharge him, but the prisoner proceeded to leave the vessel, which is lying at the Prince's Dock. He was called back and told to return to his duty by the captain, but he refused to do so, and while the captain's back was turned he deliberately dealt him a severe blow with his clenched fist on the back of his head, and on the chief officer going up to prevent any further assault being committed, prisoner kicked at the chief officer, and in the scuffle which ensued between them, bit the index finger of his right hand. The prisoner pleaded guilty, but said he had committed the offence on great provocation. He was convicted, and sentenced to eight weeks' rigorous imprisonment.

A Vagrant in Trouble.—Charles Ainsworth, *alias* John Ainsworth, who had been some time ago adjudged a vagrant and sent to the Government Workhouse, was charged yesterday before Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee, at the Girgaum Police Court, with criminal breach of trust in respect of a coat, valued at Rs. 5, the property of Robert McGaw, also an inmate of the Workhouse. He pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to six weeks' rigorous imprisonment. Ainsworth was also charged yesterday by the governor of the Workhouse with absenting himself without leave for eight days, and was further sentenced to a term of six weeks rigorous imprisonment. It transpired in court that Ainsworth's behaviour at the Workhouse had never been satisfactory. On one occasion he was drunk and disorderly on his return from leave ; on another when he had obtained leave, he was found drunk and fighting at Cammateepoors. At one time he had endeavoured to stir up discontent and insubordination in the Workhouse by reporting an alleged conversation between Mr. Nugent, Secretary to Government, and H. E. the Governor, for which offence he was segregated from the other inmates for some days.

DIVINE SERVICE.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

Service will be held this (Thursday) evening at 7-30 on board the barque Romance. The Bethel flag will be hoisted. Captains, officers, and seamen are cordially invited to attend. A launch for friends from shore will leave the Apollo-bunder at 7 p.m. precisely.

PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAIL.

The P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Ravenas, Captain E. Stewart, will sail to-day for London with the English mails and the following passengers :—

For London.

Major and Mrs. Brownlow and two children.	Mr. W. H. Repton.
Lieut.-Col. A. G. Ross.	Miss Furnell.
Mr. J. Coxon.	Veterinary Surgeon C. Clayton.
Mr. P. Fox.	Surgeon Major D. Hodgson.
Mrs. Chatfield and two infants.	Mr. T. Barclay.
Mr. S. Harris.	Mrs. Luederick.
Mr. F. E. Smith.	Mrs. Higgins and child.
Mr. E. D. Pitman.	Lieut. Jas. Kellie, R.E.
Mr. L. Daly.	Mr. J. Harington Bellhouse.

For Brindisi.

Mr. C. H. Dodgson.	Major H. M. Walter.
Mr. H. F. Blandford.	Mrs. Henney.
Mr. H. C. Mules.	Mr. W. C. Copper.

For Venice.—Dr. and Mrs. Kielhorn.

For Malta.—Mr. and Mrs. Bennett.

For Suez.—Major C. Wyndham Murray.

A FATAL ACCIDENT.

An inquest was held yesterday by Dr. Blaney, the Coroner, at the Morgue, Cammateepoors, on view of the body of Serjeant Daniel Maccristol. Deceased was a non-commissioned officer attached to the Commissariat Department, and had but three weeks since arrived from Afghanistan. On the evening previous, while returning to the English Hotel, where he was residing, he was knocked down on the Kalbadavie-road, in crossing the street to enter a tram-car, by a buggy driven by a European. The shafts of the buggy evidently struck him about the abdomen, causing a rupture of the liver, and deceased died from its effects. The following evidence was recorded by the Corner :—

Francis Young deposed.—I am a sergeant in the Commissariat Department and reside at Girgaum. Deceased was also a sergeant in the Commissariat. His age was about twenty-four years. He came to Bombay a fortnight or three weeks ago from Afghanistan, and was living at the English Hotel, in the Fort. At noon yesterday I went to the English Hotel, where I met him, and left him in a quarter of an hour. I went to the hotel again about 3 p.m., and saw him again. He and I left the hotel about 5 p.m. and went to the Girgaum Police Court, where I met another sergeant. We stayed there about half an hour, when deceased, I, and my brother George Young left the Police Court, intending to go to the Fort. Deceased was then quite sober. We were all on foot and went into the Kalbadevie-road. We had just come to the dispensary on the road when deceased went across the road to get into a tram-car that was going to the Fort. While crossing the road a private buggy, being driven by a European or Eurasian, ran him and knocked him down. I am not sure whether it was the horse or the buggy shaft that knocked him down. He fell on his back in the middle of the road, but was not run over. The buggy stopped then. When deceased fell I was holding the horse I saw the deceased rise to his feet unaided, and I let the buggy go without asking the name of the driver. The deceased then walked to the shed of my band, with my brother's assistance I think, but am not sure. He sat down on the road-side. He complained of being hurt, and I went and fetched a buggy. When I returned with the buggy I saw him lying in the shop on the floor. He appeared to be very ill, and I thought he could not be roused. Jehangeer Dajee Doctor saw the deceased, and half an hour afterwards we took him away to the English Hotel in a dooly. He seemed to know me when we took him away. I went and got to the hotel about 7-30 p. m., and I then went and called Dr. Craig, who came almost immediately and saw the deceased, and prescribed for him. I stayed with deceased all night. He seemed to get better and was able to swallow. This bottle (exhibit A) was brought from Kemp's last evening. The medicine was prescribed by Dr. Craig. Dr. Craig him self administered one dose from the bottle. Nobody else gave the deceased any of it. At 10-30 last night deceased was more restless, and about 11 p. m. he fell asleep. I saw him several times during the night. He appeared to sleep until about 3 o'clock this morning, when I went to sleep. I awoke about 6 a.m., and found the deceased was dead. He did not change his position all night. Deceased was a sober man. I have known him for five years. He suffered from fever in Bombay, but not in Afghanistan. The buggy was going at a moderate pace. The driver pulled up immediately before I seized the horse. The driver must have seen the deceased rise to his feet.

Dr. Jehangeer Dajee deposed.—I am a Licentiate of Medicine of the Bombay University. About 6 p. m. yesterday I was in my dispensary on the Kalbadevi-road, when I was called to see the deceased. He was in the shop of Mustapha Brothers on the Kalbadevi-road. He was lying on the floor, and had vomited. I saw undigested food, and afterwards some liquid tinged with blood. None of his bones were broken. After he vomited, I gave him some stimulant, when he recovered consciousness, and the pulse became better and he was able to speak. I allowed his friends to take him away. He said he was very badly hurt over the region of the liver, and thought he would die.

Dr. James Craig deposed.—I am a Bachelor of Medicine and reside in the Fort. About 7-30 p. m. yesterday I was summoned by the first witness to see the deceased. I went to the English Hotel almost immediately, and saw the deceased lying in a palanquin at the entrance to the hotel. He was carried upstairs in a chair, and fainted while he was being carried up. I examined him upstairs. He was in great pain on the right side. His pulse was feeble, and he was very weak. I was unable to detect any other injury except that on the right side. He suffered much from shock and had considerable difficulty in breathing, another symptom being the look. His pulse was 130, and fluttering. I gave him a stimulant ; and at 8-30 p. m. the vomiting was still continuing, but he seemed much the same. I gave him some portwine about 9-45 p.m., I gave him a dose of the medicine in this bottle (exhibit A). I left him at 10-30 p. m., telling his friends that he was very ill and was suffering from an internal injury. He complained of great pain in the region of the navel before I gave him the medicine. I heard of his death this morning.

George Francis Young deposed.—I am a constable of night duty at Khara Tank. I also reside, C division. About 5-30 p.m. yesterday the deceased, the first witness, and I left my house on foot to go to the Fort. We went into the Kalbadavie-road and had got as far as the Native dispensary, when the deceased crossed the road to enter a tram-car that was coming up behind us. Before he reached the tram he was struck by the shaft of a buggy that was coming from the direction of the Fort, and he was knocked down on the road on his back. I did not hear the driver call out to the deceased. The buggy was being driven at a moderate pace. Deceased was quite sober. When the deceased got near the tram-car he turned round to speak to me, and in doing so he did not see the buggy.

Dr. Sidney Smith deposed.—I am Surgeon to the Coroner and live at Mazagon. I have examined the body of the deceased and found no external marks of violence on it except a slight abrasion on the right breast and on the left knee. I made a *post-mortem* examination of the body while the inquest was being held, and found the cavity of the abdomen filled with blood and serum, which I traced to a rupture of the right lobe of the liver. The ribs were not broken, but the intercostal muscles were torn, and there was an effusion of blood under the skin corresponding to the torn portion of the intercostal muscles. Such an injury could be caused by the deceased having been knocked down by a buggy shaft. I am of opinion that the cause of death was hæmorrhage consequent on rupture of the liver.

The jury upon the above evidence returned the following verdict unanimously : "That the death of Daniel Maccristol was caused by hæmorrhage, the result of a rupture of the liver, caused by his having been accidentally knocked down by a buggy."

The funeral of the deceased took place yesterday evening with full military honours, according to his rank, and his body was interred in the Sewree cemetery. The effects of the deceased were taken charge of by the police immediately after his death was made known, and subsequently they were handed over to Lieutenant Davis, of the Commissariat Department. There was found in the possession of the deceased at his residence in the English Hotel Rs. 4,270 in currency notes and the right halves of two currency notes for Rs. 100 each, and £38 in Bank of England notes, and three bills of exchange drawn upon the firm of Messrs. Grindlay, Groom and Co. in England for £496, £123, and £65. Besides these notes and bills deceased possessed a kit of clothes, &c., roughly valued at Rs. 500, and it is said that he had opened an account with two or three banks in Bombay in the name of some other person, but nothing is known at present as to the truth of this statement.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY.

BOMBAY, 8TH DECEMBER, 1881.

Means of observations taken half an hour after 6 a. m., 10 a. m., 2 p. m., 4 p. m., and 10 p. m., Madras Time.

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah.	29·946
Temperature of the Air	77·4
Wet Bulb Thermometer	68·1
Dew Point	63·3
Relative humidity of Air	630
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded=8)	0·0
Maximum temperature of air (read at 6 p. m.)	84·0
Minimum do. (read at 10¼ a.m)	69·0
General Direction of Wind	ESE, ENE, E, NW NNW, ESE.
Movement of wind in 24 hours	262

From 12-0 a. m. to 12-0 p. m.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

Another meeting of the Corporation was held yesterday afternoon for the consideration of the proposed drainage loan. There were present Dr. Blaney (Chairman), Messrs. J. C. Aguiar, Atmaram Pandurung, Bhalshanker Nanabhoy, Khan Bahadoor Byramjee Dadabhoy, E. B. Carroll, Dr. H. Cook, Messrs. Cawasjee Hormusjee, Dinanath Raghoonath Khote, J. R. Duxbury, Fazulbhoy Visram, E. R. Freeborn, D. E. Gostling, Colonel H. F. Hancock, Messrs. Hirjee Ardaseer Dady, Homajee Cursetjee Dady, Hormusjee Nowrojee Saklatwalla, H. E. Jacomb, Javerilal Umiashanker Yajnik, Joomabhoy Laljee, D. S. Kemp, Mahomed Ali Rogay, F. Mathew, Muljee Bhowanidas Barbhai, Muncherjee Nowrojee Banajee, N. Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, Nowrojee Furdoonjee, Dr. J. Pinkerton, Messrs. Raghoonath Narayen Khote, Shewjee Dhurmajee, Tribhowandas Mungaldas, Vandrawundas Purshotumdas, and the Hon'ble Rao Saheb V. N. Mandlik.

The proposed drainage loan.

Mr. Nowrojee in continuing his speech, which was left unfinished on Tuesday, said that Mr. Walton's estimate for the entire drainage scheme included the cost of manholes, with ventilators, at upwards of 4 lakhs of rupees, but from what the Hon'ble Rao Saheb had stated yesterday it appeared that the manholes would have to be abandoned and shut up. If that were the case, the money spent in their construction for this first section would also be lost. The Municipal Commissioner, in his letter of September last, complained of the waste of money caused by a policy of hesitation. If the charge was levelled against the Town Council or Corporation, he (Mr. Nowrojee) entirely repudiated it. What were the actual facts ? On the 15th June, on the motion of Dr. Blaney, seconded by Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee, the Town Council had resolved that the Municipal Commissioner be requested to prepare and submit with as little delay as possible a scheme for and estimate of the cost of house connections and privy alterations for that part of the drainage system which had been already sanctioned, it being understood that no increased expenditure should be thereby incurred. Surely this, said Mr. Nowrojee, did not indicate a policy of hesitation on the part of the Council of the Corporation. But there had been a great delay in completing and perfecting these works, the blame of which should be shared between the contractors and their Executive Engineer on special duty. The Municipal Commissioner was asked a year and a half ago to make the surveys and estimates for house connections and privy alterations for the first section, and the work was only finished last week. The speaker could not account for so great a delay. They should have pushed on the works when once taken in hand, as delay involved the retention of an expensive engineering and other establishments. Mr. Walton, when he was asked to give an explanation regarding the delay, said that as regarded the pipe sewers the contractors had their reason for non-completion within contract time, namely, that they were not allowed by the Municipality, in the interests of public convenience, to open more than a certain number of streets. Public convenience forsooth ! Surely, that was adding insult to injury. The public had reason to complain—they preferred the loudest complaints—with regard to the inconvenience to which they had been subjected in consequence of the contractors having been allowed to keep open every street for the purpose of laying pipe drains for a very long time, and utterly and simultaneously to stop traffic in many streets. Coming to the items composing the proposed loan of 15 lakhs, Mr. Nowrojee expressed himself against any proposal to upset the resolution passed by the Corporation to cover in the Malabar Hill reservoir. After commenting upon some other items, the speaker proceeded to the estimate of 4½ lakhs for the first section of house connections, with 2½ lakhs more for privy fittings, the total being nearly 9 lakhs of rupees. To a layman like Mr. Nowrojee this estimate appeared to be very excessive, and out of all proportion to the amount of capital embarked in the construction of the main drainage sewers—it was certainly more than a half of the money spent on the drainage works. One of the grounds for revising the estimate with caution was that their Executive Engineer had estimated the entire cost of house connection for the drainage scheme, as submitted by him to the Municipal Commissioner, at Rs. 4,80,00 ; whereas now Mr. Walton estimated the work at 6½ lakhs. Mr. Nowrojee remarked that there were able engineers on the Corporation, such as Colonel Hancock, Mr. Blaney, and others, who could give them the benefit of their advice and opinion on the subject. In conclusion the speaker apologised for having detained the meeting so long, the supreme importance of the subject being his only excuse. He then proposed his amendment :—"First that the Corporation having de

SALES BY AUCTION.

SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO., AUCTIONEERS.

AUCTION SALE of Dressing Materials and Haberdashery, Oleograph pictures, plated, glass and stone China ware, &c., suitable for Christmas presentation.

To close a consignment, Messrs. SORABJEE COWASJEE and Co. are instructed to dispose of by public auction a choice stock of fancy piece-goods, ladies' dressing materials, oleograph pictures, plated, glass and crockeryware, &c.,&c., at their rooms TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, the 9th instant, at 1 p.m., the same consisting of various sorts of prints, alpaccas, veiveteen, twilled tartans, brocke figures, pompadours, lustres, shepherd, tanjore, checked and striped cloth, ladies' silk, and worsted scarves, stockings, handkerchiefs, white muslins, ladies' trimmed hats, ties, chenilli caps, gent's shirts, &c., German silver water lotas, spoons and forks, &c., ice pails, &c., time-pieces with and without alarums, japaned tin trays in sets, Turkish, Honeycombs, and Hucks towels of sizes, a collection of enamelled ware of various descriptions, soaps, boots, and shoes, &c.

A handsome collection of oleograph pictures in gilt frames.

A handsome collection of glassware, a case of fancy note-papers and envelopes, decorated, for Christmas presentations, with fancy birds, &c.

The goods will be put up in such small and convenient lots to suit the purchasers. Goods are now on view.

SORABJEE COWASJEE & Co.

Bombay, 8th December, 1881.

MENESSE AND COMPANY.

THIS DAY, THURSDAY, the 8th inst., Messrs. MENESSE & Co. will hold their usual weekly auction sale at their rooms, of a quantity of grey and colored piece-goods, twist, &c.

5 cases white mulls and Nansooks.
3 " black and white cambrics.
5 bales blankets.
3 " grey dhooties.
24 cases gin-er ale.

On account of the underwriters, ex. s.s. "Africa."

M.A.—8 barrels damaged coffee.
Y.M.—6 bundles orchella weed.

On account and at the risk of Sorabjee Dorabjee Majoo.

6 pieces cashmere cloth.
1 " coating cloth.
Gold buttons with chains.

On account of the underwriters.

K. E S—440—1 case 30pc. S W D colored flannel.
J M—C P H—494—1 case S W D white mulls, 60 by 20, ex "Britania."

AUCTION SALE OF COALS.

TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, the 9th inst., at 3 p.m., Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction at Carnacbunder, on account of the concerned—

About 100 tons rejected Cardiff coals ex s.s. Boyne.

AUCTION SALE OF RANGOON FIVE PARTS OLD RICE.

On TUESDAY, the 13th instant, at 1 p. m., Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction at Mandvie Bunder, in Government godowns Nos. 1 and 4, the undermentioned rice, on account and at the risk of Messrs. Virasm Khoan & Co. by order of Sa Hayee Amerchund.

About 5,500 bags Rangoon five parts old rice.

MENESSE & Co.

Bombay, 8th December, 1881.

BENNETT AND COMPANY, No. 3, APOLLO-STREET.

AUCTION SALE OF RAFTERS AND FIREWOOD.

Under instructions from F. H. De Britto, Esq., the receiver of the Estate of the late Carsetjee Cowasjee Bhandoopwalla, Messrs. BENNETT & Co. will, on SUNDAY, the 11th instant, at 12 a.m. sell by public auction, at Bhandoop Distillery, Bhandoop, about 7,000 rafters and 2,000 candies of firewood. Terms.—A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale, and the goods to be removed within two days from the day of sale.

N.B.—The above will be sold in small lots to suit purchasers.

BONA-FIDE.

On WEDNESDAY, the 14th instant, at 1 p. m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by public auction at Cumballa-hill, the valuable and handsome french-polished black-wood and teak-wood household furniture, bedstead and gilt pier glasses and brackets, crockery and glassware, carpets, marble pillars, a first-rate mahogany full sized slate billiard table by Thurston, with balls, cues, bronze, kerosine lamps, &c., complete, English brass and iron bedsteads, first-rate cromos, rich table ornaments, handsome China and glass vases, &c., &c., the property of C. E. Fox, Esq. The same comprises rich Venetian glass, Venetian and Dresden mirrors, engravings, photographs, oleographs Arundel Society's chromos, handsome blackwood and teakwood French polished household furniture such as a set of dining table in 4 pieces, side board, whatnots, Madras pattern arm and without-arm chairs, very handsome circular, card, sofa and writing tables, easy, folding, reclining and drawing-room chairs, centre ottoman, conversation sofas, reclining couches, large black and gold pier glass, mirror brackets, rich Wilton double pile carpet, very handsome English brass and iron four-post-bedsteads, English almira, dressing and washing tables complete, with best bedroom crockery, clothes and gown presses, chest of drawers, child's bed, baba's cot, table and chairs, dispense articles, &c., &c.

At 2 P. M.

By permission, the property of Lieut.-Colonel J. Sexton.

1 English-built boat-shaped Barouche, newly done up, with a pair of fast-trotting grey Arab horses and set of plated mounted double harness. The Baronche also forms a close carriage.

Catalogues are published and the property will be on view on and after Friday, the 9th instant.

N. B.—The sale of Mr. Fox's plants is postponed until further notice.

On SATURDAY, the 10th instant, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will sell by public auc ion, at their rooms, a quantity of grey and colored piece-goods, &c.

A few lots of furniture, the property of W. Ashdown, Esq., consisting of wardrobes, chairs, engineering tables, tea-poys, bedsteads, book shelves, engineering books, &c.

1 D. B. B. L. F., 200 bore rifle with rebounding locks in case with implements complete, by E. M. Reily.

1 D. B. B. L. C. F. hammerless gun in case with implements complete, by Adams.

At 1 p. m.

1 handsome fast-trotting Persian bay horse, 6 years old, height 15 hands, a very good charger, goes steady with troops, sold as owner going to England.

2 Guirat heifers, one 3½ years, the other 2½, one is cow's and the other is buffalo's calf.

1 handsome small Victoria phaeton with a small Pega pony and set of plated mounted single harness.

1 grey pony, young and good, in saddle and harness.

On SATURDAY, the 21st instant, at 1 p. m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co., are instructed to sell by public auction at "The Cliff," Cumballa-hill, the very valuable handsome English black-wood and teak-wood French polished, carved and plain house-hold furniture, best electro-plated ware, very rich crockery and glassware, a handsome solid Mahogany grand square pianoforte by Broadwood & Sons, a handsome fish pond with fish, first rate pictures and oleographs, rich table ornaments, handsome China and Japanese vases, real Tucker's 3, 2 and 1 light hanging argand lamps, a handsome light mail phaeton, a collection of choice and rare plants in tubs and pots, &c., &c., the property of H. A. Wadya, Esq., Barrister-at-Law.

Catalogues will be published and the property on view 4 days before the sale.

BENNETT & CO.

Bombay, 8th December, 1881.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & CO.

NOTICE is hereby given that THIS DAY, THURSDAY, TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, and the DAY AFTER TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 8th, 9th and 10th December, 1881, Messrs. MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON and Co. will sell by public auction on the premises the properties hereinafter described, at the times hereinafter mentioned, at the instance of Jamanlan Gopalji, Esquire, the Mortgagee thereof, and on account and risk of Rahimbhoy Aladinbhoy, Esquire :—

Lot No. I.—THIS DAY, THURSDAY, the 8th, at 4 p. m.

All that piece or parcel of Government land or ground, with the messuage, tenement, or dwelling-house and warehouse standing thereon, situate at Israel Mohia Cross-lane, without the Fort of Bombay, in the sub-district of Mandvie, in the Island of Bombay, formerly and now in the occupation of Rahimbhoy Aladinboy, and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 1046, and assessed by the Collector of Assessment under No. 15, and containing by admeasurement 1,127 square yards or thereabouts, and bounded on the east by the house of the said Rahimbhoy Aladinboy, on the west by the house of the said Rahimbhoy Aladinboy, on the north by the temple of the Mochi caste, and on the south by the said Israel Mohia Cross-lane.

Lot No. I.—THIS DAY, THURSDAY, the 8th, at 4-30 p. m.

All that piece or parcel of Government land or ground, with the warehouse and building standing thereon, situate on the north side of the said Israel Mohia Cross-lane, in the sub-district of Mandvie, formerly and now in the occupation of the said Rahimbhoy Aladinboy, registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 1035, and assessed by the Collector of Assessment under No. 16, containing by admeasurement 90 7-9 square yards or thereabouts, and bounded on the east partly by the said house of the said Rahimbhoy Allandinbhoy and partly by the said temple of the Mochi caste, on the west and south by the said Israel Mohia Cross-lane, and on the north by a passage.

Lot No. III.—THIS DAY, THURSDAY, the 8th, at 5 p. m.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling-house and warehouse standing thereon, situate without the Fort of Bombay on the west side of Shamjee Hassajee-street, commonly called Khoja Mohia, in the sub-district of Mandvie, containing by admeasurement 72 square yards or thereabouts, and assessed by the Collector of Assessment under No. 25, and by the Collector of Land Revenue under Nos. 942 and 1,458, and bounded on the east by Shamjee Hassajee-street, on the west by the house of the said Rahimbhoy Aladinbhoy, on the north by the house of Rahimbhoy Aladinbhoy, and on the south by the said Israel Mohia Cross-lane.

Lot No. IV.—TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, the 9th, at 4 p.m.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground, together with the three several messuages or dwelling-houses standing thereon, situate without the Fort, in the sub-district of Mandvie, on the west side of the said Shamjee Hassajee-street, containing by admeasurement 416 square yards or thereabouts, registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 618, and by the Collector of Assessment under Nos. 24, 27, and 28, and bounded on the east by the said Shamjee Hassajee-street, on the west partly by the house of Assabibi, partly by the temple of the Mochi caste, and partly by the house of the said Rahimbhoy Aladinbhoy, on the north by the house of Faizal Kassum, and on the south by the house of the said Rahimbhoy Aladinbhoy.

Lot No. V.—DAY AFTER TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 10th, at 4 P. M.

All that piece or parcel of fascndari land or ground, with the messuage, tenement, or dwelling-houses standing thereon, situate at or on the west side of Umerzari first row, without the Fort, in the sub-district of Mandvie, formerly and now in the occupation of Mooloorkhan Noorkhan and others, containing by admeasurement 665 square yards or thereabout, assessed by the Collector of Assessment under Nos. 2 and 3, and bounded on the east by the said Umerzari first row, on the west by a sweeper's passage, on the north by the property of Manji Laljee, and on the south by the house of Cursetjee Sorabjee Vachaghandi.

For further particulars an conditions of sale application may be made to Messrs. JANARDHAN and HOMAJEE, attorneys for the said mortgagee, or to the undersigned, at their office in Meadow-stect.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1881.

It is hereby notified that by order of the Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay, Messrs. MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON and Co. will sell by public auction at the Arthur Crawford Market on THURSDAY, the 15th December, 1881, at 11 a.m., the right of collecting Sweepers' Fees in the Fort Market, Arthur Crawford Beef Market, Arthur Crawford Fish and Mutton Market, Erskine-road Fish and Mutton Market, and Pedder Market, Mazagon, from fresh and salt fish sellers, &c., who sit on the floor or other places not numbered, either in line or outside under the eaves of the markets, for 1882 only, i.e., from 1st January to 31st December, 1882. For particulars and conditions of these sales reference may be had to the Municipal Commissioner's Office, Fort, or the Office of the Superintendent of Markets, Arthur Crawford Market, up to the undersigned. The Municipal Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the highest or any offer.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & Co.

Bombay, 8th December, 1881.

IMPORTANT TO COTTON SPINNERS AND OTHERS.

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